"MOTHER" JONES WILL TELL ROCKEFELLER ABOUT THE COLORADO STRIKE

New York, Jan. 26.— John D. Rockefeller, Jr., today invited "Mother" Jones, the aged strike leader in the Colorado coal fields to visit him and place before him all information as to the strike situation there. The invitation was accepted.

The invitation was extended by Mr. Rockefeller as he entered the room in the City Hall where the federal commission on industrial relations is conducting its inquiry into the philanthropic foundations and the causes of industrial unrest.

Mr. Rockefeller testified yesterday before the commission and was the first witness called today.

As he walked from the door to the witness chair he saw "Mother" ones sitting among the spectators. He stepped to her side and shook hands.

"I wish you would come to see me and give me any information you have on the Colorado situation," he said.

"Mother" Jones was visibly surprised.

"That's very nice of you," she said. "I have always said that you could know but little of the condition of the workers in Colorado and that you should hear something else besides what these hirelings tell you."

After Mr. Rockefeller took the stand Chairman Walsh read a letter written by Mr. Welborn (president of the company) to Starr J. Murphy, of the personal staff of John D. Rockefeller, Sr.,

In this Mr. Welborn said that a clergyman at Sun Set had made some remarks detrimental to the company and that it had been suggested that the clergyman be removed. Although the clergyman had "made indiscreet remarks and had socialistic tendencies," Mr. Welborn wrote that he hesitated to remove him.

As a citizen, Mr. Rockefeller

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JAPAN MAKES STRONG DEMANDS UPON CHINA

ANOTHER GERMAN SHIP TORPEDOED IN BALTIC SEA

Peking, China, Jan. 26.—Central political and territorial demands which Japan has made upon China following the Japanese occupation of Kiao Chow have become known in Peking and their extent is disquieting to Chinese officials.

These demands, twenty-one in number, were communicated to the Chinese government Jan. 23 by the Japanese minister here.

If these demands were granted, it is felt in Peking that the result would be tantamount to turning to Japan all the regions named as spheres of influence to the detriment of the treaty rights of other nations.

Up to the present time the Peking government has not replied to the Japanese note.

Chinese officials are particularly incensed just now at rumors circulated here that China is negotiating with Germany to the end that German officers re-organize the Chinese army. This report is denounced as without foundation.

Gazelle Is Torpedoed

Malmoe, Sweden, Jan. 26. (Via London)—It is positively asserted here that the German protected cruiser Gazelle was torpedoed yesterday by a submarine of unknown nationality at a point in the Baltic near the Island of Ruegen, which is off the coast of Prussia. Although the Gazelle was damaged, she was able to return to the port of Sass nitz.

Survivors of Bluecher Landed

Edinburgh, Scotland, Jan. 26. (Via London)—Fifty survivors of the German armored cruiser Bluecher, which was sunk in the North Sea on Sunday in an engagement with British warships, were landed from two British torpedo boat destroyers today at Leith, two miles north of Edinburgh.

GERMANY CONSERVES FOODSTUFFS SUPPLY

London, Jan. 26.—The sweeping regulations for the conservation of the food supply of Germany, including the confiscation of the entire grain crop, is regarded in London as the most significant item of news received today from the countries at war.

Berlin announces officially that this step cuts deeper into the economic life of the German people than any other measure adopted since the outbreak of hostilities and the government defends the regulation on the ground that in order to upset the predictions of Germany's enemy to starve the empire it is necessary to make certain of a regular supply of foodstuffs until the next harvest.

Make Sure Of Supply Until Next Harvest

Berlin, Jan. 26—(via wireless to London) The federal council has [illegible] effect sweeping regulations [illegible] conservation of the food supply. [illegible]

[illegible] stocks of corn, wheat and [illegible] are ordered seized by February [illegible]

[illegible] business transactions in these [illegible]ities are forbidden from [illegible]

[illegible] municipalities are charged [illegible] the duty of setting aside suitable supplies of preserved meat.

[illegible] owners of corn are ordered to [illegible] their stocks immediately, [illegible] confiscation at a fixed [illegible] follow.

[illegible] government distribution office [illegible] be established, distribution [illegible] made according to the number [illegible] inhabitants.

[illegible] Imperial Gazette today publishes the following notice regarding confiscation of grain: [illegible] is no doubt that the measures taken cuts much deeper [illegible] economic life of our people [illegible] all the other economic regulations hitherto adopted by the federal council during the war.

"It is, however, necessary in order to make certain the sufficient and regular supply of our people with breadstuffs until the next threshing of the new harvest and besides a necessity of life for the government and the nation.

"The steps heretofore taken have proved themselves not far-reaching enough to bring about the sparing use of our limited supplies of breadstuffs which, however, are in reality sufficient for our needs. In particular the measures hitherto introduced have not prevented the feeding of bread grain to cattle.

"The present order gives us the certainty that our enemies' plan to starve Germany will be upset, as we are assured of plentiful of bread until the next harvest."

George D. Gins, a popular North End grocer, who has been laid up at his home on Findlay street, for some time past, is very little improved.

CORPORATION CONTRACTS HOLD WITHOUT OFFICIAL'S SIGNATURE

Columbus, Jan. 26.—The court decided by inference that a contract with a corporation is binding even though it does not bear the signature of the corporation's officials. W. P. Kadel, of Chillicothe, contracted with the Scioto Valley Traction Company to paint a bridge at Chillicothe. The contract was signed by the Traction Company by typewriter and sent to the proper officials for signature. Before the signature was affixed, Kadel started the job, slipped and fell from the bridge and was killed. Walter W. Kadel, his administrator, sued for $10,000 damages and got a verdict of $5,000 in the common pleas court. This was affirmed by the court of appeals and supreme court. The Traction Company held the contract was not in force since it had not been signed.

QUAKES AT PANAMA

Panama, Jan. 26.—Three short sharp earthquakes have shook the Isthmus of Panama in the last three days, the third one occuring today. None of the shocks did any damage, though the inhabitants were considerably frightened. Reports from points along the canal show that the shocks caused no ill effects.

STATE COMPENSATION FORESTALLS DAMAGES

Columbus, Jan. 26—The supreme court today ruled that after an injured workman has made application for compensation to the state accident insurance fund, he may not sue his employer for damages. This decision was given in the case of the suit of William Zilch against Joseph Bumgardner, of Lakewood, and is the first case involving this question to reach the supreme court.

An opinion which the court will hand down is expected to explain the detailed points in the decision.

Zilch lost his thumb and two fingers in a circular saw while working in Bumgardner's factory, and applied to the State Industrial Commission for compensation. In September, 1913, he filed suit for $7,500 damages. The common pleas court awarded him a verdict of $700, but the court of appeals reversed this. The supreme court sustained the verdict of the court of appeals.

BIG FREIGHTER GOES DOWN IN COLLISION

New York, Jan. 26.—The steamship Washingtonian, a freighter carrying no passengers, and the big schooner Elizabeth Palmer were in collision today off the coast of Delaware near Cape Henlopen. Wireless message said that the Washingtonian was sunk and the schooner sinking. The crews of both vessels, with the exception of one man, were saved.

Captain Nelson of the Old Dominion liner Hamilton, stopped his ship off Fenwick's Island light ship to rescue the crews of the two vessels.

LORIMER INDICTED

Chicago, Jan. 26 Three additional indictments were returned today in the federal court against William Lorimer, president of the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank; Charles B. Munday, its vice-president, and Henry W. Huttig, a director, charging misapplication of the funds of the institution.

ADVISES CARE IN LIQUOR MEASURES

Columbus, Jan. 26—An appeal not to meddle with the liquor problem at this session of the legislature was voiced today by Representative Willis W. Yeatman, of Hamilton county member of the house liquor committee, at the first meeting of that committee held to consider the three liquor measures which already have been submitted.

Mr. Yeatman based his suggestion on the desire for success of the administration, which he said might be seriously injured by meddling further with the liquor question.

"The Republican party is on trial," says Rep. Yeatman, "and it must have good support. We should not let the liquor question interfere with our administration, yet if we meddle with it, the question may do this."

MORE EVICTION NOTICES

Bellaire, Jan. 26.—In spite of the fact that the striking miners won the eviction trials at Adena yesterday, additional eviction notices were served in various parts of the East Ohio strike zone today. Four trials were to take place at Mount Pleasant, each of strikers having demanded a jury.

Deputy sheriffs were sent to the mine of the West Wheeling Coal company where a number of men are reported to have returned to work. No less than 15 mines are being prepared for operation, and it is stated that work in some of them will start before the end of the week.

KAISER'S SON STILL ILL

Berlin, (via London,) Jan. 26.—Prince Joachim, the youngest son of Emperor William has been unable to start his convalescent leave as recently planned, as he has been affected with a high fever for several days.

COLUMBUS MAYOR AND POSTMASTER NAMED AS TAKING PART IN ALLEGED FIST FIGHT

STATE OFFICIAL IN HOSPITAL SAID TO HAVE BEEN VICTIM

Columbus, Jan. 26.—Anticipating racy testimony and possible sensational developments a great throng crowded the city council chamber here today when the council judiciary committee began hearings to investigate reports of an alleged street fight in connection with which the names of Mayor George J. Karb, and John A. Will, of the state bureau of accounting and Postmaster Samuel A. Kinnear, were connected by witnesses called to testify.

John Ryder, a business man, testified that while driving his automobile containing his wife and another woman to their home in a suburb on the night of January 11, he was compelled to stop while trying to pass another machine which was standing in the road and from which a man "uncertain on his feet," had alighted. Before stopping his machine he brushed by this man, who turned on Ryder and started cursing him. Ryder testified that he recognized the man as Postmaster Kinnear. Mayor Karb then got out of the first machine and apologized for Kinnear's conduct, according to Ryder's story.

Charles Breckenridge who lives on the suburban road where the supposed fight occurred, testified while he was in bed that night, an automobile stopped near his house and he heard loud talking and quarreling, with the names "John" and "George" used repeatedly. There was groaning and crying for about 10 minutes, until one voice shouted "take him over and dump him." Another voice said: "Keep still or we will drag you over on the track." He

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CAN DIE WITH PRAYER ON LIPS

Washington, Jan. 26.—Rapid progress is being made in a movement to supply all soldiers at the battle front in Europe with Bibles, according to a statement made here today by George Fox, secretary of the American Bible Association, which is carrying on the work in co-operation with The World Sunday School Association.

Mr. Fox said that Sunday school children throughout the country are assisting in the movement and already members have completed for forwarding many Bibles. The soldiers of each nation are to be supplied with testaments in their native language, he stated.

W. VA. TO VOTE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 26—The legislature today voted to submit to the people at the next election an amendment to the constitution providing for woman's suffrage. There was one vote in the senate and six in the house of delegates against the resolution.

OHIO EDITORS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Jan. 26—Matters of first importance to publishers and their allies in the newspaper world were to be discussed at the meeting of the Ohio Associated Dailies, which convened here today in its thirtieth annual session. G. W. C. Perry, of the Chillicothe Gazette, presided.

Cleveland, Jan. 26—Harvey J. Callahan indicted for second degree murder in connection with the death of Thomas Gibbons, who was shot several weeks ago during an altercation between the circulation men of two local morning newspapers, today was acquitted by a jury in common pleas court. Callahan pleaded self defense.

FATHER AND SON HELD FOR MURDER

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 26.—George Hiles, Jr., aged 17 and his father, George Hiles, Sr., are being held by the police today while detectives are investigating the fatal shooting early this morning of George Hester, aged 34, of this city. Young Hiles claims that he shot Hester after the latter had knocked his father down and was kicking him but other witnesses to the tragedy claim that they did not see young Hiles around when the shot was fired.

16-INCH GUN OF U. S. OVERTOPS GERMANY'S

Washington, Jan. 26.—Lack of precise ballistic data concerning the new German naval 16-inch gun which has caused so much discussion in England, does not, according to naval experts here today, permit of a close comparison between it and the new American naval gun of the same calibre now under test at Indian Head, Maryland. It appears, however, they think, that whereas the German projectile, with a velocity of 3,040 feet per second, has a slight advantage over the American 16-inch shell in speed, the latter weighing 2,150 pounds is more than 100 pounds heavier than the German shot and consequently will have a greater striking energy and more penetrative power in steel armor.

This factor of penetration after all, according to leading American naval experts is the prime object instead of range, as is generally supposed. Anyone of the larger calibres of the American naval guns will now hurl its projectile across the sea beyond the range of human vision and nothing of value can be accomplished by shooting farther than they do.

On the other hand, there is grave objection to sacrificing the defensive power and speed of a war vessel to unnecessarily large guns. The maxim of battleships with the smallest and lightest gun that will penetrate at ranges within vision, the heaviest armor that can be carried on the enemy's ship.

Not So Dumb In U. S.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The percentage of illiteracy in certain European countries is much higher than in the United States while in other countries of Europe it is considerably low, according to census bureau statistics today.

The percentage of illiteracy in the United States for the total population over 10 years of age is 7.7 per cent; for the native white population three per cent. In Bulgaria the illiteracy percentage is 65; in Greece 70; Hungary 33; Italy 37; Portugal 69; Rumania 61; Russia 69; Servia 79; and Spain 58.

In Denmark, Germany, The Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom the percentage of illiteracy is lower than that for the native white population of this country.

WHEAT TOUCHES $1.46

Chicago, Jan. 26.—All grains—corn, oats, rye and barley, as well as wheat,—sold today at the highest prices in many years at this season. The volume of trading in corn and oats was extremely large. Commission houses did most of the buying. Selling was chiefly by profit taking longs. Assertions were current that the 1915 crop of wheat, which is not yet out of the ground, was already being sold for export.

May wheat overtopped yesterday's highest war price, and reached $1.46 7-8.

ANOTHER DEATH RESULTS FROM CRUISER EXPLOSION

On Board U. S. S. San Diego, Guaymas, Mex., Jan. 25.—(By wireless to San Diego, Calif., Jan. 26.)—William H. Miller, a fireman of Downs, Kans., died today from injuries suffered when the San Diego's boiler tubes blew out last Thursday. A few hours before another victim had succumbed.

Miller's death was the seventh from the explosion. Six others were injured.

CAN'T STAGE BIG FIGHT IN ARMORY

Columbus, Jan. 26.—Adjt. General Hough today notified Adjt. John M. Pattison, of the First Regiment, Cincinnati, that military rules and regulations will forbid the use of the armory in that city on the night of Feb. 1, for the boxing bout of Gunboat Smith and Jim Flynn, against which Cincinnati ministers protested. Adjt. Pattison was ordered to notify the promoters of the fight they would have to find other quarters for its stage.

STOCK YARDS MAY AGAIN BE QUARANTINED

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Probability of another quarantine of the Union Stock Yards here developed today with a report that animals shipped east from supposedly clean districts in the yards had developed the foot and mouth disease.

Packing houses expect that before the end of the day a closing order would be issued preventing the shipment of live stock from the yards.

Although no official order prohibiting the shipment of live stock was issued early in the day by the federal inspectors, no stock was shipped pending word from the department heads in Washington.

New York, Jan. 26.—The United States Steel Corporation today suspended the dividend on the common stock.

Here's a bit of advice. It ain't often that I go into th' advisin' game—but I'm gonna do it now. It's some advice on investment and I wanta warn everybody that it's time t' invest in a pair of snow shoes. If you wanta know th' reason just glance at my dope below. There's snow a comin' friends and maybe lots of it so get ready and walk on instead of in it. Here's th' official stuff:

Ohio—Unsettled with snow late tonight or Wednesday; slowly rising temperatures.

Kentucky—Unsettled tonight and Wednesday, probably snow or rain; warmer tonight; warmer Wednesday central and east portions.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy tonight and colder in east portion; Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer, probably snow.

COLUMBIA
TO-NIGHT!

'FATE AND THE FUGITIVE'
AN INTERESTING 2 REEL SPECIAL
"THE ESCAPE ON THE LIMITED"
A THRILLING RAILROAD PICTURE OF THE HAZARDS OF HELEN SERIES
LAST CHANCE TO SEE WILLIAM PEERLESS BROWN

TO-MORROW
"THE OLD CODE" In 2 Parts
A Most Interesting Story of Life on the Frontier Amid Beautiful Wild Scenery
"THE PRODUCT" FEATURING MAURICE COSTELLO

Russia Will Stand Faithful To Allies

Petrograd, Jan. 26—(via London)—A number of questions dealing with many phases of Russia's relations to other countries, both her allies and neutral states, were put to Foreign Minister Sazanoff by members of the Duma at today's sitting of the Budget committee.

To a query concerning the help England was rendering the allies, France and Russia, M. Sazanoff replied that Great Britain had undertaken a burden far heavier than had been expected of her.

Answering a question as to whether there was any danger of the conclusion of a premature peace, M. Sazhnoff said emphatically that Russia would remain faithful to the spirit of the imperial manifesto and the agreement with the allies, (not to conclude an independent peace).

Germans Capture Two Of Allies' Strongholds

Berlin, Jan. 26.—(Wireless to London)—The German war office in the statement given out this afternoon says that two strong points of support in the possession of the English were captured by German troops yesterday in a general assault on an English position near La Bassee.

GOVERNOR NAMES DELEGATES TO INTERNATIONAL PRESS CONGRESS

Columbus, Jan. 26.—In response to a request from Walter Williams, director of the International Press Congress to be held during the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco, July 5th to 10th inclusive, Governor Willis today appointed the following live newspaper men of Ohio to act as delegates to this congress:

T. A. Robertson, managing editor, Cleveland Leader-News Company, Cleveland; W. G. Verpe, night editor, Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland; Merritt C. Spidel, publisher Piqua Call, Piqua; E. G. Burkam, publisher Dayton Journal, Dayton; John M. Kaiser, publisher Marietta Leader, Marietta.

The request came from Director Williams in behalf of committee representing the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, the National Editorial Association, the Associated Press, the United Press Association, the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, the Federation of Trade Associations, The American Association of Teachers of Journalism, the World's Press Parliament.

The congress will consider professional questions of importance to the World's Journalism.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD--TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

WHICH IS WORSE, BEER AND BOLOGNA, OR PEACH PIE--JUDGE MUST DECIDE

Few divorce or alimony cases in years have attracted the interest and attendance of so many as the alimony case of Ida Brame against John Brame, which opened Tuesday. Over forty witnesses have been subpoenaed.

Mrs. Brame bases her suit on alleged cruelty, claiming her husband compelled her to work in the fields. She also accuses him of intimacy with two servant girls.

The husband enters a general denial and maintains the wife is not entitled to alimony because she left his home without cause.

Mrs. Brame's testimony Tuesday was sensational, and brought frequent verbal clashes between the counsel. She testified their domestic troubles started six years ago, when she detected her husband in improper acts with their hired girl. The same incident occurred with the hired girl who succeeded her, the witness said.

The wife also testified she saw her husband drunk several times, and added that he was violent and abusive at those times. She also accused him of giving beer to their child along with "bologna," the witness declaring that she did not think "beer and bologna" diet good for her child. The husband retaliated by saying that his wife filled the boy with "peach pie," which he considered just as harmful.

Mrs. Brame admitted having filed a suit for alimony about a year ago, but said she withdrew it after a reconciliation.

She said her husband was the owner of 16 head of horses, a large quantity of grain, hay and feed, three cattle, six hogs, 4,000 bushels of corn, a large amount of cash in the bank, a Ford automobile, that he cultivated 207 acres of fine bottom land near Davis Station.

The couple were married in 1889 and have one child, Charles, aged nine years. They have lived on the Fulton farm near Davis Station for the past 11 years. Bannon and Millar represent the plaintiff and Funk and Dever the defendant.

Seven Above

Tuesday morning proved to be one of the coldest of the winter, as the mercury skidded down to 7 above. As the day lengthened the mercury climbed back up and at 2 o'clock it registered 20 above, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirmann.

HEALTHY CHILDREN

To keep children healthy in body and brain, correct nourishment is the law of nature—just as heat turns water to steam, so *nourishment* is nature's fuel for health and growth. Too often the digestive powers of children cannot procure enough nourishment for ordinary food which condition brings weakness, dullness and sickness, and nature needs assistance—then Scott's Emulsion is needed.

Every drop is medicinal food. Its rich cod liver oil creates life-sustaining blood corpuscles to strengthen the organs and fibers and tissues throughout the body.

If your children catch cold easily, are languid, backward in studies, pale or frail, give them Scott's Emulsion. It gets in action the very forces that build sturdy frames and active brains.

Scott's Emulsion is free from wines, alcohols or stupefying drugs—the best that money can buy. At any drug store. 13-121 Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Austro-Germans Take Strategic Russ Base

Berlin, (via London) Jan. 26—A dispatch received today from Cracow, Galicia, says that Austro-German forces have occupied Kielce, Russian Poland.

Kielce is the base of the Russian province of that name and lies in Southern Poland, about fifty miles north of the border of the Austrian province of Galicia. In that region has occurred some of the heaviest fighting in the eastern campaign. Kielce has been a Russian base and is of considerable strategic value because of the fact that it is the most important railroad junction northeast of the Cracows.

Butter Tests

Clarence B. Blank, of the state university at Columbus, arrived here Tuesday to make authenticated butter tests among Alan Jordan's herd of Jersey cows. The tests are made at the instance of the American Jersey club. Two year olds must yield 200 pounds of butter and five year olds 360 pounds in a year's time to make

RECORD DEED

The deed transferring the 5.91 acres of land in New Boston from the trustees appointed by the Portsmouth Board of Trade to the Portsmouth Steel company was recorded Tuesday morning at the court house. The trustees were the late George M. Appel, L. C. Turley and Charles Duehler.

BIRTHS

Braving the cold, Mr. Stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simms in Scioto-ville about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and left a seven-pound baby daughter to bless the happy home. Mr. Simms is paymaster at the Portsmouth Steel Plant and was passing the cigars around to his fellow clerks and friends who showered congratulations upon him when he spread the news of the first arrival at his home.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edgington at their home on Sixth street Monday night. The father is employed as a barber at the Washington hotel shop.

One View of Foreign Travel.

I sometimes think it is a pity that people travel to foreign countries; it narrows their minds so much.—Chesterton.

RECOMMEND EXTENSION TO BUILDING & LOANS

Columbus, Jan. 26.—The house insurance committee today voted to recommend the bill to allow a two years extension of time for deposits of state funds with building and loan companies in the flood district.

Sled Stolen

Mrs. O. L. Prediger, of 1151 Third street, had a fine collapsible sled stolen from the front porch of her home Monday night. Mrs. Prediger says a clue has been worked up, which may result in the sled being returned.

WILL DECIDE ABOUT INSTITUTE

Whether there will be a teachers' institute next summer will be one of the matter to be decided at the meeting of the county board of education to be held at the office of the county school superintendent, E. O. McCowen, Saturday. Other matters of interest to the welfare of the rural schools will come up for discussion at the meeting.

Friedrich Case Bobs Up In Service Again

London, Jan. 26.—The German armored cruiser Friedrich Carl and a numerous group of torpedo boats were seen today off the Aland Islands, at the entrance to the Gulf of Bothnia, steering south.

The foregoing dispatch, if correct, disproves a story from Petrograd over a month ago to the effect that the Friedrich Carl had been sunk in the Baltic during a naval sortie from one of the German bases. She is a cruiser of 8,858 tons and was launched in 1902.

FOR A BAD COLD

The surest way to stop a cold is to liven the liver and cleanse the bowels, and the nicest cathartic to do this is a 10-cent box of Cascarets. Take one or two Cascarets tonight and your cold may be gone by morning.

AMENDMENT REJECTED

Washington, Jan. 26.—Republican amendments to the administration shipping bill to prohibit purchase of ships now belonging to the European belligerents, were rejected today by the senate commerce committee by a strict party vote and the bill, as revised by the Democratic caucus, was reported again to the senate.

One important amendment would permit such government ships, as are among built, to engage in the coastwise trade. The bill originally proposed to restrict the government line to foreign trade.

Reply Filed

Attorneys George W. Sheppard has filed a reply for the plaintiff to the answer of the defendant in the case of G. A. Mooney against F. W. and S. S. Davidson, a suit to recover judgment in the sum of $500, alleged to have been executed by the defendants to the plaintiff. In the reply, he denies all of the allegations of the defendants' answer, and insists that the note was given in payment for the agency of the Cincinnati Post.

Recover Bracelet

Police recovered a bracelet for Miss Donna Curoe, of Gallipolis, a student at the Portsmouth College of Business, Tuesday. The bracelet, which was a family heirloom, and therefore highly valued, was taken from her apartments at the Sells home on Court street.

Claim British Ship Was Sunk In Battle

Berlin, Jan. 26.—(By wireless to London)—Additional details of the sinking of a British battle cruiser in the naval fight in the North Sea, west of Holgoland, which is claimed by the Germans, is given in a statement issued here today. The statement follows:

"According to well informed German sources this cruiser suffered heavily from the fire of our cannon and was then sunk by a German torpedo boat by two well directed shots. The sinking was observed by a German airship which followed the battle closely.

"Two English torpedo boats were also sunk. The airship also observed the serious damaging of other English ships."

"U. S. Seeks To Give Aid To Belligerent"

---London Morning Post

London, Jan. 26.—The Morning Post published today an editorial article on the case of the steamer Wilhelmina, the American vessel which left New York Jan. 23 for Germany, carrying a cargo of an American concern. It says that this is a more plausible and more insidious test case than is the experiment with the steamer Dacia, the cotton laden vessel unchanged registry still at Galveston and that if it is allowed it will be injurious to the cause of the allies.

The Post contends that neutrality is an affair of the land as well as of the sea and says that in spite of the fact that Belgium is a neutral country Americans would find it impossible to send food into this country through such Belgian parts as are in German hands.

"America is asking us to abrogate the power we gained upon the sea at vast expense," the Post continues, "so that American trade may nourish and support an enemy who is destroying the subjects and the wealth of our allies and our own wealth wherever he can do so."

Divorces Granted

Two divorce decrees were granted by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Tuesday morning, the cases having been heard several days ago. Maggie Parsons, housekeeper for Charles Kessler, whose wife eloped with Andy Hubman several days ago, was granted a divorce from Clem Parsons, her husband, while a legal separation was awarded Leanora Stevens, from her husband, Robert Stevens. Attorney Theodore K. Funk represented the plaintiff in both cases.

Directors Elected

Within ten return of their incorporation papers from Columbus Tuesday afternoon, The Grimes Strittmatter company held a stockholders meeting and these directors were elected: H. S. Grimes, Edward Strittmatter, Mrs. H. S. Grimes, Mrs. Edward Strittmatter and A. D. Bridges. The directors organized as follows: H. S. Grimes president and Edward Strittmatter, secretary and treasurer.

No delay when you call Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Wurster Bros. Drug Store Will Sell Cough Medicine At Half Price

A GOOD CHANCE TO ECONOMIZE

The public will be given a chance to economize on their cough medicine today and tomorrow, as Wurster Bros. 33 Chillicothe St., will sell a 25c bottle of Schiffmann's Concentrated Expectorant for 25c to the first 100 who apply at their store, but only one bottle to each family. The regular 25c size contains more than a dollar bottle and is the only cough medicine sold at this price, but they decided to make this reduction so as to give those who have not yet used this remedy a opportunity of trying it at partially their expense, as they know that no other medicine will be used by anyone who has once tried it. There will be one not already used this remedy who buy a bottle (particularly of this size) if they find it equal to a dollar size. It is a wonderful medicine for coughs, colds, bronchitis, whooping cough and hoarseness. Pleasant to take, and is excellent for children. Simple, pleasant remedy is given success to relieve the worst cases of cold, and is excellent for Bronchial Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough and Hoarseness.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Sarah Brown

George Brown, an N. & W. fireman, who boards at 3046 Gallin pike, was called to Crum, W. Va., Monday by a message announcing the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Brown, aged 45. Her death was caused by appendicitis and Mrs. Brown passed away before an operation could be performed.

Mildred Elenora Conley

Mildred Elenora, the ten-months old baby daughter of Edward Conley, a steel worker, of Pine street, New Boston, died of broncho-pneumonia early Tuesday morning. The remains will be taken to Wheelersburg for burial Thursday.

Frederick W. Kanouse

The funeral services of the late Frederick William Kanouse, who died Monday morning, will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wesley Bauer, with whom he made his home, at 1548 Twelfth street, Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. The services will be in charge of Aurora Lodge, No. 48, F. & A. M. Members of the lodge are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple at 2:30 o'clock to attend the funeral in a body. Rev. L. J. Hopper and Rev. Albert Marting will officiate at the funeral. Interment will be in Greenlawn.

Marshall Distel Funeral

The general esteem in which Marshall Distel was held was attested by the large outpouring of friends who gathered to pay a final tribute to his memory Tuesday.

The funeral services were held at St. Mary's church and were largely attended. Six nephews of the deceased, Joe, James, Louis, Will, Marshall and Ed Distel acted as pall bearers. There were numerous and beautiful floral offerings. The Stationary Engineers and Brewery Workers' Unions attended in a body and River City Aerie of Eagles was also represented. Kerbin Distel, a brother of Mr. Distel, was the only out-of-town relative present.

Mrs. Susie Stout

Jos. Baer, bartender at the Lyceum, received a message Tuesday informing him of the death of his only sister, Mrs. Susie Stout, aged 42 years, of No. 391 East Fulton street, Columbus, O.

The message gave no particulars, but Mrs. Stout is thought to have died from the effects of a surgical operation. She had been in the care of specialists for some time past. Her health failed several years ago. Mrs. Stout was the wife of William Stout, a foreman at the Wolf Shoe Company's plant, who survives her with one daughter, Marvine, aged 7 years. Besides she leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Bear, of Circleville, and three brothers, Will, Edgar and Joseph. She and husband visited in Portsmouth on last Labor day. Mrs. Stout was a member of the Methodist church and a good Christian woman.

Funeral services will be held at the family home in Columbus tonight and the remains will be brought to Circleville Wednesday for burial in Forest cemetery on Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Baer expect to go to Circleville Wednesday to attend the funeral.

In Potter's Field

Unable to locate relatives of Thomas Lerner, who passed away Sunday night at the county infirmary, officials of the infirmary Tuesday afternoon had the body interred in the county's burying ground in Washington township.

Always Ready.

"For 15 years," remarked the ambitious friend. "I have been trying to collect a bunch of thoughts, so as to be ready with a little speech in the event that I should ever be called upon for a few impromptu remarks."

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WILL TELL OF STRIKE

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said he believed all clergymen should be free to say what they please. It was brought out that the clergyman in question had been severe in his criticism of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company in connection with the conflicts at Ludlow.

"Did you know that Jefferson Farris a sheriff and that for fifteen years your company has used its influence to elect him?" asked Mr. Walsh. "Did you know that just before the strike he swore in 300 men as deputies and was told that the Colorado Fuel and Iron company would furnish them with arms and pay them?"

Mr. Rockefeller said that he knew nothing about that.

"As a citizen I say that anything which interferes with the operations of a Democratic form of government should not be tolerated," Mr. Rockefeller added.

"If property and life were in danger in a remote part of the country," the witness said, "protective measures should be taken." He assumed that the officials of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company had in view the protection of life and property when the deputies were sworn in.

"I do know," he testified, "that if my home and property were in danger I would take any measures within my power to protect them. Emergencies are likely to arise."

Rights Of Men Should Not Be Taken Away

Mr. Rockefeller said he had never heard that detectives were employed by the Colorado Fuel and Iron company to spy on the men. He did not believe that the rights of any man should be taken away from him.

"Suppose you found that the executives of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company had taken away the rights of the men?" he was asked.

"I would have to hear all sides," he replied. "If the directors determined that the executive officials were guilty they would have to stand any action the board might take."

Mr. Rockefeller said that he was not aware that for twenty-three years no verdict had been found against the Colorado Fuel and Iron company for the injury to or death of a workman.

Given Sympathy For The Loss of Eye and Injuries

Commissioner Walsh read a letter from W. J. Dalton, of Cleveland, Ohio, written to the commission in which Dalton said that while working for the Colorado Fuel and Iron company he had lost an eye and had injured his knee and his leg in three accidents. The company gave him sympathy, but that was all according to the letter.

Dalton wrote that he had written to the witness and to John D. Rockefeller, Sr., but that the only answer he had received was a note from the secretary of Mr. Rockefeller, Sr., who said that Mr. Rockefeller was in Cleveland for "recreation and not for business."

Mr. Rockefeller said he thought a Sociological department could be developed in Colorado.

"Colorado Coal and Iron Not Making Returns."

His attention was drawn to the recent testimony of Henry Ford, of Detroit, who testified that a department of his copany kept him advised as to labor conditions among his 18,000 employes. Mr. Rockefeller pointed out that Mr. Ford was making millions of dollars of profit every year but that the Colorado Fuel and Iron company was not "making returns to its stockholders."

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You Have Troubles, and Plenty of Them

Which of the troubles listed below cost you the most money?

Loss of Money

Due to—

1. Mistakes in handling cash sales.
2. Forgetting to charge goods sold on credit.
3. Loose record of money received on account.
4. Money being taken in without knowledge of merchant.
5. Poor records of C. O. D.'s and other transactions.

Lost Trade

Due to—

1. Customers being overcharged.
2. Mistakes in keeping customers' accounts.
3. Failure to credit money paid on account.
4. Indifference of clerks.
5. Slow service.

Disputes

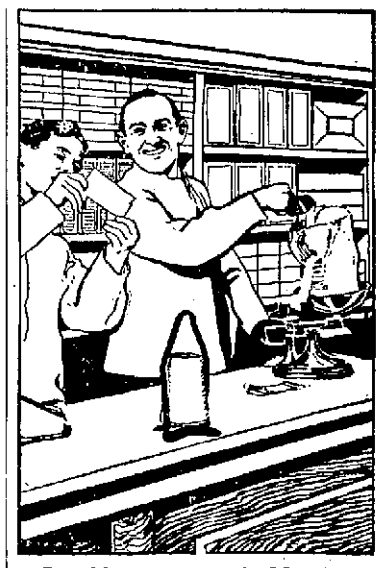
Due to—

1. Customers claiming wrong change was given.
2. Errors in charging goods.
3. Mistakes and carelessness of clerks.
4. Poor records of all balances owing on customers' accounts.
5. Lack of records of money paid out.

Lack of Control

Due to—

1. Having records which can be changed.
2. Having no way of enforcing correct records.
3. Having no check on amount of money he should have.
4. Having no guiding figures as to standing of business.
5. Being unable to trace errors and place responsibility.



Inefficiency of Clerks

Due to—

1. Lack of interest in business.
2. Lack of check on their work.
3. Constant temptation arising from uncounted money.
4. Lack of friendly rivalry and team play.
5. Lack of appreciation.

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Big Steel Mills Put 2,000 Men To Work

Pittsburgh, Jan. 26—More than 2000 steelworkers returned to full time employment yesterday, when the mills of the Pittsburgh Steel Co., at Charleroi and Monessen, resumed at full blast, after a lengthy period of depression.

Officials declared they had some foreign orders, but that the plants were insured a good run by domestic business.

Ironton, O., Jan. 26.—The old familiar whistle at the plant of the Belfont Nail Company was sounded Monday, which caused much cheerfulness among the number of employees returning to work after a few weeks idleness. The mill is in full operation, including the cooper shop. The prospects are favorable for a steady run.

The Kelly Nail Mill is also in active operation and the outlook is considered very favorable.

POSTMASTER AND MAYOR

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explained that the Arlington electric line runs past his house.

The next morning Breckenridge said he found a coat, a pair of glasses and a water receipt in the road which he later identified as belonging to John Will, an employee in the state auditor's office. Will now is in a hospital recovering from severe cuts and bruises, which he refuses to explain.

Residents of the hospital neighborhood testified to another light when Karb and Kinnear brought Will to the hospital in their automobile that night. A number of people, awakened from their sleep by cries and curses, arose, dressed and went to the hospital door to discover the trouble.

William Watson, who lives near the hospital, said he heard some one cry: "Murder, help, don't kill me," several times. He went to the scene of the trouble and found a man lying on the walk with his head against a door of the hospital. Karb and Kinnear were standing over the prostrate man, and both were intoxicated, Watson testified. He declared Kinnear threatened the man lying on the walk with an oath, "shut up, you —— or we'll kill you." The injured man also was on the verge of delirium tremens, he declared.

Raymond Donnelly, who also lives near the hospital, testified the injured man was lying in the slush and when the door of the hospital was opened he was dragged by the shoulders into the vestibule by one of the men with him, whom he did not know. Donnelly said he heard the man who accompanied Karb say to the injured man: "Keep still, if it wasn't for George Karb, you would be lying out in the country in the snow now." Donnelly said he heard the mayor say then: "Yes, I will forgive you."

The hearing will be resumed tomorrow.

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TERMINALS

G. K. Roper secretary to International Secretary of Y. M. C. A.'s H. O. Williams of New York City was in the city Tuesday visiting the local Y. M. C. A.

N. & W. Chief clerk C. I. Cheyney, N. & W. Special Officer W. A. Ellsworth, General Manager A. C. Needles and Scioto Division Superintendent J. T. Carey left Monday afternoon for Cincinnati to attend a court case that is being held in the Queen City courts.

Come on out Mr. Workman the boys want to look you over. Lon H. Workman, extra N. & W. passenger conductor has at last received his new uniform. It being his first uniform Workman decided to put it on and rehearse his work as conductor several days ago. The scene was laid at his home on Center street. Placing two rows of chairs in a room he tied a piece of string to one of the chairs for a bell corn. Donning his new uniform he started down the room between the rows of chairs yelling Cyrus, Pritchard, and other stations, pulling the "bell cord" for the engineer to stop. Mrs. Workman went into the room to see what the noise was about and found her husband giving his hand as a signal for the engineer to go ahead. The boys of the N. & W. dispatchers office are looking for Workman as he promised to come out and show them the new suit when it arrived. Conductor Robert Morris who lives near Workman is ready to vouch for the truthfulness of the rehearsing as he says he could hear Workman calling out the names of the stations.

Oscar Burkhardt, N. & W. laborer of section force No. 10 received a very painful injury Monday noon when another laborer pierced his left hand with the point of a clay pick. Dr. Locke treated the injured man. T. F. Lewis is the section foreman under whom Burkhardt worked.

There will be no meeting in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening as F. B. Osborne has charge of the revival at the Scintoville M. E. church.

F. B. Osborne had charge of the noon shop meeting in the blacksmith shop Tuesday. He distributed the special N. & W. number of the Railroad Association magazine among the employes. He also made each of them a present of a Y. M. C. A. calendar. The Monday noon shop meeting was held in the new planing mill.

N. & W. extra freight 765 in charge of Conductor C. C. Taylor and Engineer G. J. Wilson derailed one car of coal near Goodwin, W. Va., Monday.

Misses Marie Powell and Ollie Leonard of the city were the Monday guests of Miss Gertrude Bailey of Gallia pike.

K. G. Payne, N. & W. yard engineer resumed his duties Monday after suffering with boils for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fain of Walnut street purchased a fine piano from a local firm Monday.

A BIG INFLUENCE

It is surprising the wonderful influence good digestion has on your general health. It not only promotes strength, but also keeps the liver active and bowels open. Therefore, watch the digestion and as soon as any weakness is manifested resort to

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

DRAW 35 NAMES TO FORM THE NEXT JURIES

Thirty-five names were drawn from the jury wheel at noon Tuesday by Clerk Roy McElhaney, in the presence of the two jury commissioners, H. H. Barney, of Wheelersburg, and George H. Bratten, of Otway, Judge James S. Thomas and Sheriff E. W. Smith.

The first fifteen whose names were drawn will serve as grand jurors during the next term of court, and they will be ordered to report Monday, February 8th. The other twenty will serve as petit jurors throughout the entire term, and they will be ordered to report the following Monday, February 15.

An unusually large number of cases will be brought to the attention of the grand jury at its coming session, as there were no special grand juries impanneled since beginning of the September term. Among the important cases to be examined are included the Baucus murder case and the assault case, in connection with which Henry Stonie, a local negro, is being held in the county jail. Four suspects are also being held in connection with the Baucus case. Numerous other cases have been transcribed from the mayor's court and from the justices' courts all over the county. It will be the first grand jury in Prosecuting Attorney Mickelthwait's term.

The fifteen grand jurors are: Charles F. Beal, First ward, city; Walter J. Weber, Third ward; F. M. Walker, Rush; W. M. Freeman, Otway; John McGowan, First ward; Meek Pean, Brush Creek; John Freyermuth, New Boston; J. Hemphill, Lower Nile; Frank McGeorge, Rush; William G. Eath, Fourth ward; John C. Fisher, Fourth ward; Clyde Millbill, Third ward; L. E. Rickey, Madison; James Park, Harrison; William Elliott, Washington.

The petit jurors are: John Cruxerath, Clay; George W. Zottmann, Second ward; J. H. Mann, Otway; Philip Lind, Third ward; Charles E. Oppy, Clay; Albert J. Freytag, Third ward; Edwin B. Lancaster, Third ward; Wesley Benson, Third ward; John J. McCall, Fourth ward; Robert D. Lauter, Fourth ward; D. F. Creelbaum, Second ward; William Stainger, Third ward; George W. Gillen, First ward; John P. Hill, Washington; John Galligher, Green; Charles E. Noel, Clay; Fred L. Kuhl, Third ward; Charles O. C. Foster, Barden; George Baker, Brush Creek; John P. Wahrheit, Second ward.

The name of the late James Barrons, of this city, was drawn out for petit jury service, which necessitated the drawing out of one additional name.

SLAPS MAN WHO HAD A GUN

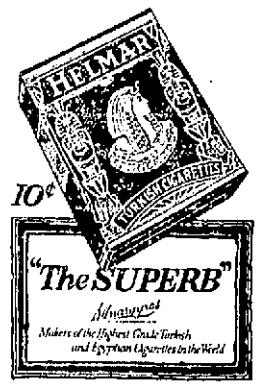
Dave Johnson, of Market street, reported to Chief McCarty, Tuesday, the details of a "run-in" he had with some Kentuckian late Monday night. He said he had been playing pool at Charles Ziegler's place when the fellow got gay with him. After closing time he said the man tried to start trouble with him, threatening to use a gun he carried concealed. Dave said he slapped him several times and the fellow beat a hasty retreat, friends helping him to get in the clear.

BUILDING PERMITS

John Dice, sanitary sewer tap at Norfolk hotel, corner Tenth and Waller streets.

Work to Keep Healthy.

The very best cure for a case of nerves is to keep busy. If you cannot find any work of your own, help some friend who has more to do than she can accomplish. Be really interested in everything you do and do it with all your might. You never heard of a washerwoman being nervous.



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POLITICAL TREACHERY REWARDED

And so the Honorable D. Staley Creamer is to be taken care of as a reward for his treachery to the Democratic state ticket last fall. He is to be made a member of the state board of administration by Governor Willis, his appointment to date from May 5th next. In the meantime we presume that the Hon. Mr. Creamer will continue to make himself solid with the new administration by working out upon weak-kneed Democratic legislators and trying to get them to join with the Republicans in a general assault upon the laws of the Democratic administrations.

But one need not be surprised at the Hon. D. Staley Creamer. His whole history in politics has been one long-continued story of selfishness and personal ambition. An ambition that did not consider party or friends. He would doubtless have been fighting manfully for Cox if that governor had seen fit to attach the honored name of Creamer to a salary. But failing to land in office Creamer became soured and discontented and readily lent his name and what influence he possessed to the effort to destroy the party that had honored him time and again.

Now, at last, Creamer is out in the open, out where he can be catalogued and tagged. He has joined the small crowd of political buccaneers and pirates and takes his place at the head of the table reserved for those Republico-Democrats whose object is to do all the mischief they can in the Democratic party and aid the Republicans by their votes as well as their acts. A man with regard for the fitness of things would find such position uncongenial. He would come out and join the Republican party straight-out.

But then that would be expecting too much from the Honorable D. Staley Creamer.

HENRY CLEWS ON BUSINESS

Henry Clews, in his weekly review of trade, sees hope for the future. He says that the steel trade is showing more or less improvement, the United States Steel Company now running at 47 per cent of total capacity as compared to 25 per cent in November. Fair orders have been placed for rolling stock and equipment and the present low prices is quite likely to stimulate the demand for construction material. Mr. Clews concludes by saying that there is no occasion for modifying the very hopeful views expressed for several weeks past; in fact, he says, we see no reason why improvement should not continue in the absence of unfavorable developments. Attention is also called to the efforts being made by American manufacturers to build up a larger export trade. He regards the prospects for expansion as very promising.

In December our exports exceeded imports by $131,500,000, but food stuffs and raw materials comprised the bulk of this. There was a large increase in manufactured exports but the larger part of this was war material.

HOW THE TIMES CHANGE

In times agone, the statesman who wore his pants in his boots and boasted no more than one gallus was considered a genuine champion of the plain people. His apparelling in more than one shirt at a time would have spelled his political damnation. But, oh, upon what degenerate days we have fallen.

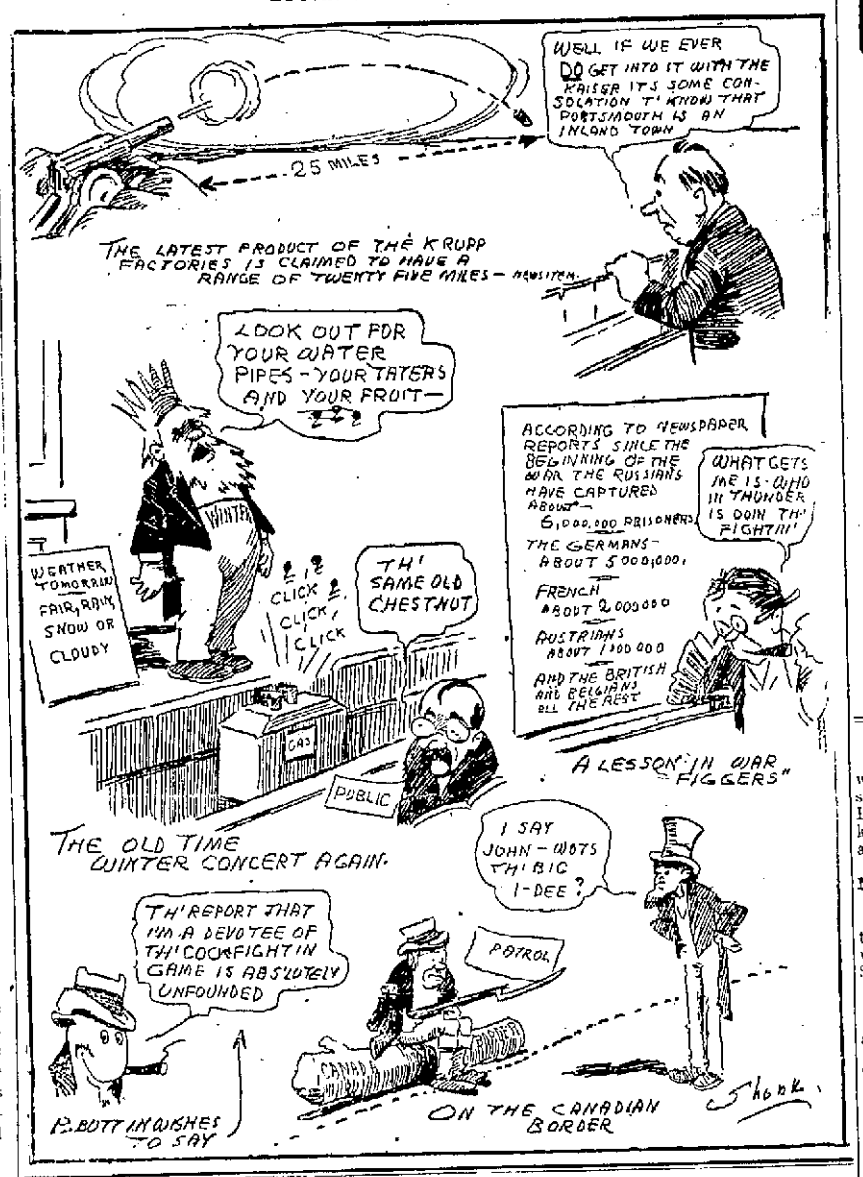
Over in New York they are investigating one James A. Sullivan, minister to the Republic of San Dominica, for conduct unbecoming a plenopotentiary with powers extraordinary, and the most serious accusation against him is that one steaming hot morning, not even from San Dominica, received the ambassadors of France and England, with nothing more than an undershirt covering the middle portion of his anatomy and for that he may lose his job. Yea, more than that, if France and England did not have more than their hands full right now, his decided negligee might lead to a serious embroglio with those powers.

BY THE TRAIN LOADS

According to Columbus news any where above a dozen office seekers invaded the town with every train that comes into the town and immediately made a charge on the state house. So great is their number and such their importunity, that Governor Willis has been forced to issue an order that he must have time to take up the reins of public business, so he must no longer be pestered by job hunters. He even goes a bit further than that and lays down the ultimatum that the man who insists on personally presenting his claims for "recognition" will be set down on the black list and there will be nothing coming in his direction.

Thus it ever is. A host of patriots cry rescue for the state, but the minute a victory is won they swarm, gouge and fight over the division of the spoils.

LOOKING OVER THE NEWS.



SHAME ON 'EM

Alarmed at the inundation of foolish bills that is pouring into the legislative mill, and having no fool-killer at command, Republican apologists are setting up the plaint that it is all but a wicked trick of the measley Democrats, who are working the scheme to put the Willis administration in bad.

We are pleased to hear it, not that we believe Democrats could be guilty of such unpatriotic strategy, but it belies the stupid charge these same yawpers are so fond of making, that the Democrats don't know enough to turn a trick at government. Any body of men, who can be suspected of such artifice has got enough ability to make itself both respected and feared and that is the essence of government.

But laying aside partisan jeering, the truth of the matter is the assembly is simply running hog wild. Willis washed his lily white hands of it even before election and with him doing that none other has appeared with strong hand to lay upon and give it direction. This fact is appreciated by the politicians, who are now seeking to work up a junta of party and legislative leaders, who being more or less secretly advised by Willis, will form "a program" of legislation, thus keeping the assembly from running away with itself and all party prospects.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

A real heroine is a woman who can suffer in silence.

Only a foolish man will kick himself when he is down.

Some men have brains but never know when to use them.

Any one could write poetry were it not necessary to make it rhyme.

Success often comes to a man because he has forgotten that he might fail.

A man seldom measured up to your expectations unless measured by the golden rule.

A wise woman refuses to ask her husband to accompany her to church if he talks in his sleep.

Doubtless it is the unexpected that happens because one can never tell what a woman will do.

It doesn't take a woman very long to discover that she drew a blank in the matrimonial lottery, but to her dying day she believes her husband drew a prize.

WHEN THE NINE GET BUSY

One of the pleas advanced by Governor Willis for decentralizing the agricultural department is that it is now controlled by four men at salaries of $5,000 a year each. What does he offer in their stead? Why he would give us nine members named by himself, as it is unlawful for farmers bodies to elect such members, these nine members to serve without salaries, but to have their expenses paid. They are to select a a secretary and other officials. But just wait until the expense accounts of the nine members begin to roll in. They may be a little backward the first year but once they get to feeling comfortable located in their chairs, the $20,000 paid to the present commissioners will look like 30 cents, or else the nine men to be named will be nearer angels than the average run of office holders. At the same time the list of employees will not be found to be decreasing. There will be the same old jobs only maybe there will be some new faces.

Now's The Time

Here, you discontented knocker,
Growlin' 'bout the country's ills,
Chloroform your dismal talker;
Take a course of liver pills.
Stop your durn eternal howlin,'
Chaw some sand and get some grit;
Don't sit in the dumps a-growlin'
Smile a few an' boost a bit.

Fall in while the han's a-playin',
Ketch the step and march along;
'Stead o' pessimistic brayin'
Jine the hallelulah song;
Drop your hammer—do some rootin'.
Grab a horn, you cuss, an' split
Every echo with you tootin'
Smile a few an' boost a bit.
—Roy K. Moulton in Akron Beacon-Journal.

But Where Does the Hole in the Doughnut Go?

"Manholes hurled into air."—Chicago Tribune.

Stick to the Old Way, Girls

An Upper Sandusky editor wants girls to give prompt answers when marriage is proposed. Poor advice. The old way of keeping the boys up in the air awhile is better.

Next We Can Expect the Weeping Wrist

Cousin Levina stopped him on the stairs to rap his linty head with a commiserating knuckle.—Scribner's Magazine.

Good Form Nowadays

Friend—"Whatchu rubbering at up there?"

Man just back from Europe—"Nothing."

Friend—"Well, what's the matter? Spinal maginnis?"

M. J. B. F. E.—"Naw, Zeppelin neck."

Maybe 'Tis Fluffy That Should Let Go

Party holding white poodle dog by name of Fluffy, please let go at once and avoid further trouble. Mrs. A. W. Lewis.—Ad in Geneva Free Press-Times.

No Experiment Station

Marie was a city girl and while spending her vacation in the country a fresh young farmer tried to kiss her and told her he had never kissed a girl in his life. And what did she say to him? She just told him that she was no agricultural experiment station.

Fifty-three Fridays

Fifty-three Fridays will come in '15:
People will call this unlucky, I ween;
Luck is but nonsense, and omens a bore—
If Fridays were pay days we'd like to have more.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Rival of Eta Beta Pi

"Ada Apple."—Card of Kent girl.

Curious Willie

Willie stood on the curb gravely watching an extremely pigeon-toed miss who was walking on the other side of the street.

"I do wish she'd hurry," he said to his mother.

"Why do you wish that?" the mother asked.

"If she runs real fast," said Willie, "I was just wondering if she would pass herself."

Our Ideal Husband Contest

An ideal husband is one who does not quarrel or find fault with his wife.—Mrs. E. R. S.

An ideal husband is one who comes home at a reasonable hour when he goes to lodge.—Mrs. J. D.

An ideal husband is one who goes to church regularly.—Mrs. M. T.

An ideal husband is one who takes a bath once a week whether he needs it or not.—Mrs. S. D.

THE LIVER REGULATES THE BODY—A SLUGGISH LIVER NEEDS CARE

Someone has said that people with Chronic Liver Complaint should be shut up away from humanity, for they are pessimists and see through a "glass darkly." Why? Because mental states depend upon physical states. Biliousness, Headaches, Dizziness and Constipation disappear after using Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c at your druggist.

Buying Corn

A Clermont county man was in the city Monday seeking to purchase a couple of car loads of corn, declaring that there was quite a scarcity in his section.

OWLS PLAN FOR DANCE

Tickets for the Owls Fastnacht dance on February 16th were distributed among the members of the regular meeting of the lodge Monday evening, and they will be put on sale at once. The dance promises to be a huge success.

It has been decided to postpone the annual banquet until after the dance. Some officer from the Home Nest will be secured to deliver the principal address.

A movement was started at the meeting to unveil a suitable monument over the grave of every deceased member of the order, and the idea found ready favor among the members. An amendment to the constitution is necessary before it can be legally done, and this will be voted upon at an early date.

Mr. Baggs Home

Frank M. Baggs has arrived home from Columbus, where he attended a meeting of the advisory committee of the Ohio Industrial Commission.

Animal Jingles

FOR LITTLE FOLKS
BY ANICE CROW GALL

MOTHER McGREW AND CAROLINE CROW

I wonder if you ever happened to see
A bird called a crow, sitting up in a tree.
If you ever did, you have noticed, I think,
That its feathers are shiny, and just black as ink.

Now once on a time young Caroline Crow
Had feathers as lovely and white as the snow.
They would have been white, I've no doubt, to this day,
If Caroline Crow had kept them that way.

But she was so careless, she played in the dirt,
And said a soiled feather or two didn't hurt.
The consequence was that she looked like a fright,
All drabbled and black, when she came in at night.

Poor Mother McGrew was quite in despair.
She said, "I've tried everything else, I declare!
So the next time that you soil your pretty white dress,
I'll just make you wear an old black one, I guess."

Young Caroline Crow went on with her play,
And came home more dirty than ever next day.
Then Mother McGrew led her upstairs right quick,
And tapped her three times with her magical stick.

And Caroline's dress that had once been snow white
Was changed all at once to a dress black as night.
And though she pretended that she didn't mind,
And WANTED a black dress, I'm rather inclined

To think that she really was sorry: I guess
That most any crow would prefer a white dress.
And though to this day they are all black, I know
They'd rather be white—you just ask a Crow!

Injured Foot

Sam Radcliff, a draughtsman in the city engineering department, slipped on the ice and tore a ligament of his foot at Fourth and Jefferson streets. He is laid up as a result.

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When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and lazy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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Members of Aurora lodge F. & A. M. are requested to meet at the temple Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to attend the last rites of Brother William Frederick Kunouse. On Thursday evening the lodge will confer the Master Mason degree upon several candidates. Calvary Commandery No. 13 will confer the orders of the temple upon two candidates Friday night, the meeting to start at 7 o'clock.

WANTED

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

WANTED:—Fraternal insurance solicitor on salary and commission basis desired by one of the large societies. Writes men and women. Twenty-five thousand members in Ohio. Inquire J. Busch, State Deputy, Parkersburg, W. Va. 20-6

WANTED:—Middle aged lady to assist in cooking 1162 10th. 20tf

WANTED: Roll top desk; serviceable for office work. Phone 382. 26-3t

WANTED:—W. L. Bayless, 1407 Lincoln street, to call at the Sun theatre for two free tickets for Wednesday night's attraction.

WANTED:—House of about six rooms; modern in every respect. Desirable location. Phone 148 or Room 46 First National Bank Bldg. 26-3t

WANTED:—Reliable man as partner in new and second hand clothing store. 1014 Gallia near John. Phone 1676 X. 19tf

WANTED:—An invalid wheel chair. Address Dr. Dawson, Wheelersburg, O. 23-3

NOTICE:—Special prices on making ladies' suits and dresses. Marion Barber, the tailor. Phone 147 X, 318 2nd St. 23-6

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FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery, call George Abrams, A 1025. 16tf

FOR SALE:—Lot in Long Meadow, cheap. Phone 1675-Y 26-3

FOR SALE:—Holstein bull calf. Extra good. John Duis, Wheelersburg, Ohio, phone Y-30, Sciotoville exchange. 26-3

FOR SALE:—Singer sewing machine in first class condition, $11.00. Room No. 7, Elk bldg. 25-tf

FOR SALE:—Hangers, shafting and pulleys, $20 worth for $7.50. Schlichter, 724 10th St., phone 1013-R. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—1 incubator and brooder. Cheap. Call after 3 p. m. 1543 Poplar street, Terminals. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—118 acres with house and barn, one mile from New Boston. Address Martin Scherer, Portsmouth, O. 15-11

FOR SALE:—All kinds of fruit and shade trees. Will plant the same at reasonable price. Trees guaranteed to live. See Dr. Keyes or Phone 704. 30tf

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage, 826 Prospect St., phone 1583-A 26-3

FOR RENT: 6 room house, 3 room house, 2 room house. Phone 1722-A. 26-3

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, water and gas included. Inquire 923 11th. 26-3t

FOR RENT:—To right party, nicely furnished front room with privilege of entire house; can do own cooking. All modern conveniences. Phone 945 R. 26-3t

FOR RENT:—6 room house, 111 Glover, $14. Phone 344. Apply 1318 2nd. 10 tues T S

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room. 922 7th St. Phone B-1187. 10-tf

FOR RENT:—6 room cottage with bath, centrally located. Inquire 913 4th. 4tf

FOR RENT:—Nice front room, all conveniences. 618 Washington. Phone 848. 20tf

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house with gas, 521 7th. Apply Imhold's millinery store. 18tf

FOR RENT—4 rooms, cheap, rear of 1015 Clay. Call 1933 Gallia. 25-tf

FOR RENT:—Cottage, 1517 Findlay street. 3 rooms, gas, cellar, and cistern water in kitchen, large yard. Mrs. Anna Ford, 1521 Findlay St. 25-2t

FOR RENT:—Nice 4 room cottage. Handy to factory and business. 418 Bond street. Phone 752-X. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—Room for light housekeeping, gas for light and heat. 831 Front St. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 1012 3rd. 9tf

FOR RENT:—4 room alley house 1115 3rd. Water and gas. See T. J. Coe, 1323 Lincoln, phone 1738-A. 25-2t

FOR RENT:—200 acre farm on Harrisonville pike. L. N. Shump 2019 20th St. 25-6t

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Jan. 26.—Trading was narrow and dull for the greater part of today's session, of the stock exchange. United States Steel was a feature, some uncertainty attending the common dividend, on which action was to be taken after the markets close.

Changes at the opening of the market suggested no definite trend, gains and losses being somewhat conflicting. For instance, United States Steel common, whose directors act on the dividend today, showed no change while the preferred stock was fractionally lower. Other active issues were either unchanged from yesterday's close or a trifle higher. Several specialties and obscure stocks rose smartly, including American Sugar and Beet Sugar, which gained 1½ and 1¼ points. By the end of the half hour the entire list was higher despite the heaviness of our stocks in London.

Stocks continued to fluctuate during the early session but invariably the price level was above yesterday's close. Steel made a fractional gain on moderate dealings and the consensus of opinion was that the present rate of the dividend would be maintained. There were gains of a point or more in the Canadian Pacific, Erie first pfd. and the Southern group of railroads, Seaboard Air Line adjustment fives rising three points. Bonds were firm.

CLOSING PRICES NE WYORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 57.
American Beet Sugar 34½.
American Cotton Oil 46.
American Smelting & Refining 3-4.
American Sugar Refining 107½
American Tel. & Tel. 120¾.
Anaconda Minig Co. 27⅝.
Atchison 96¼.
Atlantic Coast Line 107.
Baltimore & Ohio 75¼.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 87⅞.
Canadian Pacific 165½.
Chesapeake & Ohio 46½.
Chicago & North Western 127.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 92½.
Colorado Fuel & Iron 26¼.
Colorado & Southern 26.
Delaware & Hudson 148⅛.
Denver & Rio Grande 6½.
Erie 23.
General Electric 144¼.
Great Northern pfd 116⅞.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 33¾.
Illinois Central 107.
Interborough-Met 12⅛.
Interborough Met pfd 52.
Inter Harvester 96½.
Louisville & Nashville 119½.
Missouri Pacific 13⅛.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 11½.
Lehigh Valley 138¼.
National Lead 47.
New York Central 92⅜.
Norfolk & Western 102.
Northern Paciac 106¼.
Pennsylvania 107¾.
People's Gas 119.
Pullman Palace Car 154½.
Reading 151.
Rock Island Co ⅞.
Rock Island Co. pfd 1¾.
Southern Pacific 87¼.
Southern Railway 17½.
Union Pacific 121½.
United States Steel 51½.
United States Steel pfd 108.
Wabash 1⅜.
Western Union 63.
New Haven 54½.
Bethlehem Steel 49¼.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Although wheat advanced today influenced by a big decrease in the European visible supply, the gains did not last long. Bears took courage from advances that pressure of grain at the wharves in Argentina was becoming more pronounced and that the outlook there for a larger number of vessels had been greatly improved by special efforts of the Italian government. After opening ⅜ off to ¼ up, the market here scored a moderate rise all around but then receded to about last night's level.

Corn swayed with wheat. Country offerings were a little larger and demand from the east rather slow. The opening which varied from ⅛@¼ decline to a shade advance was followed by a fair general upturn, with a reaction later to a point slightly below yesterday's close.

Oats were relatively firmer than other cereals. The serious reductions of late in the Argentina surplus counted against the bears.

Lower prices for hogs made provisions sag. Trading was more largely in ribs than usual.

Subsequently July wheat developed rare strength because of assertions that cargo of new crop grain had already been sold for export. There were also advices that preparations for war by Italy had at last been made complete. The market closed at ¾ to 4@4⅛ net advance.

A rally ensued in corn when wheat displayed fresh strength. Canadian Northwest was said to have been decidedly enlarged. The close was unsettled at ⅝ to ⅝@¾ above last night.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May 146; July 126⅞.
Corn: May 80; July 80⅝.
Oats: May 57⅝; July 54⅝.

CLOSING PRICES

Wheat: May 146½; July 130⅞.
Corn: May 80½; July 81¾.
Oats: May 58⅝; July 56½.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, Jan. 26.—Wheat cash 148; May 150⅝.
Corn cash 77½@78¼; May 82⅞; July 83½.
Oats cash 57½@57¾; May 60⅜.
Rye No. 2, 123.
Cloverseed prime cash 952½; Feb. 955; March 960.
Alsike prime cash 942½; Mar. 950.
Timothy prime cash 327½; Mar 332½.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan 26.—Hogs—receipts 45,000; dull; bulk $6.60@6.80; light $6.60@7.00; mixed $6.50@6.85; heavy $6.30@6.75; rough $6.30@6.45; pigs $5.25@7.00.

Cattle—receipts 6,000; slow; native steers $5.60@9.25; western $5.10@7.50; cows and heifers $3.25@8.00; calves $7.25@10.50.

Sheep—receipts 12,000; strong; sheep $6.00@6.80; yearlings $7.00@8.00; lambs $7.40@8.90.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 26.—Hogs—receipts 1200; steady; heavy $7.15; yorkers $7.60; pigs $7.50.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 1,000; strong; top sheep $6.50; top lambs $8.85.

Calves—receipts 50; steady; top $11.50.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Jan. 26.—Cattle—receipts 100, steady; prices unchanged.

Calves—receipts 100, steady; price unchanged.

Sheep and lamps—receipts 1,500, lower; price unchanged.

Hogs—receipts 3,000, 10 to 15 higher; heavies, $7.00; mediums, $7.20; yorkers, light yorkers and pigs, $7.25; roughs, $6.15; stags, $5.15.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Jan. 26.—Hogs receipts 6,700, slow; packers and butchers, $6.85@$7.00; common to choice, $5.25@$6.25; pigs and lights, $5.50@$7.15; stags, $4.25@$5.00.

Cattle—receipts 300; steady; calves strong.

Sheep—receipts none. steady; lambs, steady.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Cattle—receipts 400; steady; veals receipts 75; slow; $4.00@11.50.

Hogs—receipts 6,500; active; heavy $7.00@7.40; mixed $7.15@7.30; yorkers, $7.10@7.75; pigs $7.75@8.00; roughs $6.25@6.50; stags $5.00@5.75.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 4,000; sheep, active; lambs, slow; lambs $5.00@9.00; yearlings $5.00@7.75.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Butter, unchanged.

Eggs, lower; receipts 265 cases; at mark cases included 25@31c; ordinary firsts 29@30c; firsts 30 1-2@31c.

Potatoes unchanged; receipts 28 cars.

Poultry alive, unsettled; springs 12 1-2@14c; fowls 14 1-2c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork: May $18.87; July $19.15.
Lard: May $10.82; July $10.97.
Ribs: May $10.27; July $10.47.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Jan. 26.—Eggs—fresh gathered first cases included 34c.

Dressed poultry—good fowls and spring chickens 15@16c.

Rabbits $2.00@2.25.

All other markets unchanged.

SUGAR

New York, Jan. 26.—The market for sugar futures opened from 1 point higher to 5 points lower. Near months were firm in sympathy with the strength of the spot situation but later deliveries were easier under moderate realizing. At noon prices were around the opening level with sales of 1500 tons.

The spot market was firm. Centrifugal 3.98@4.01c; molasses 3.21@3.24c; refined steady.

Futures closed steady two points higher to 5 lower; sales 2,750 tons. Feb. 305c; May 3.23c; June 3.28c; July 3.34c; Sept. 3.44c.

COTTON

New York, Jan. 26.—Cotton futures closed very steady; Mar. 8.57c; May 8.84c; July 9.05c; Aug 9.13c; Oct. 9.25c; Dec. 9.38c.

COFFEE

New York, Jan. 26.—Coffee Rio No. 7, 8; futures easy; Mar. 6.22c; May 6.40c.

MONEY

New York, Jan. 26.—Call money steady; high 2; low 1 7-8; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1 7-8; offered at 2.

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FOR RENT:—4 room house. $10 a month. See Edward Burton, 102 Glover St. 23-2

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room, bath and modern conveniences, 614 Washington 19tf

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FOR RENT:—Three unfurnished front rooms, 1822 11th. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Large front room extra bed in alcove, suitable for two gentlemen, use of phone and bath. Inquire 626 4th. Side entrance. 21-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house 730 8th. Inquire 717 8th. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Four unfurnished upstairs rooms with gas and water, 2344 9th. Inquire 918 Waller. 23-3

LOST

LOST:—Small French poodle. Return to Henry Lordier, 1618 11th. Reward. Phone Y-897.

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Mr. Klein Surprised

Mr. Abe Kline, manager of The Fashion, was rather surprised upon his return to the city Monday evening from a business trip East to learn that Charles Chestnut, the confessed forger, had cashed a bogus check at his store. He said that it would not have happened had he been at the store as he is well acquainted with the signature of Mark W. Selby, as he had cashed several checks for Chestnut before, which were genuine.

Mr. Kline was well pleased, however, with the proper action taken by Homer Milam, an employe of the Fashion, in locating the check forger, who was caught on an N. & W. train which he boarded at Sciotoville. Milam took a tip from William Atlas and boarded the same train at Portsmouth, causing Chestnut's arrest.

MAY SELL SALOON

Harry Hartman, administrator of the estate of the late Joseph Dill, colored saloonist, through his attorney, J. P. Purdum, filed an application in probate court Tuesday to sell the saloon property of the deceased, which includes the stock and fixtures only, at private sale. In the event that the application is granted, it is understood that the property will be sold to Jesse Marshall, colored.

Keep your eye on my stock for that new suit you intend to buy.
McGARRY, The Tailor 821 GALLIA

DISTEL LOSES IN HIGH COURT

The Scioto County Liquor Licensing oard received word from Columbus late Tuesday that the State Liquor Licensing Board had sustained the ruling of the local board in case of Louis M. Distel, whose saloon license was recently rejected. Until a few weeks ago Distel conducted a saloon at Campbell avenue and Eighth street. Distel had his license rejected some time ago and the state board ordered a rehearing in his case and the local board again rejected Distel's license, and this time their decision was sustained by the state board.

TO ICREASE CAPITAL

The H. Leet Lumber company Tuesday filed a certificate with the secretary of state to increase its capital stock from $85,000 to $110,000. Increase in business coming through the branch plants established in Sciotoville, Peebles and Wheelersburg necessitated this step. The firm will hold its annual meeting in February.

Motorcycle Sled

Have you seen the new motorcycle sled?

It is the latest invention in the city and is a clever one. A sled has been built around the motorcycle and it will carry four or five people and good speed can be attained. The sled was thrown together by Ed. Gloeckner and Carl Burkhardt and was put on the streets by The Harley, Davidson Sales Company.

SLUMP IN CUPID'S MARKET

Unless an unprecedented number of prospective marriage couples make applications for licenses during the present week, the month of January, 1915, will go down in history, as being the month in which the smallest number of marriage licenses were issued in years. Up until Tuesday afternoon, but fifteen licenses had been issued since New Year's day. Last year, thirty-five licenses were the least number issued in any single month.

Hoffer In City

Pitcher Jerry Hoffer, formerly of the Shoemakers, but now a member of the Cleveland Naps, passed through Portsmouth Tuesday morning on his way from his home in Mt. Hope, W. Va., to Barden, to attend the funeral of a relative, Henry Hoffer, who was buried there Tuesday afternoon.

Boy Got Lecture

Arthur Schipps a North End youth, was arrested Monday evening by the police on complaint of Charles Scandalas, an Eleventh street merchant, who claimed that the boy was annoying him. The lad was turned over to Juvenile Judge Beatty, who dismissed him with a lecture.

Uncle Pennywise Says!

I ain't got much legal lore, but I don't believe I'd smirk and grin if I wuz on trial for murder.

A Valuable Suggestion

Important To Everyone

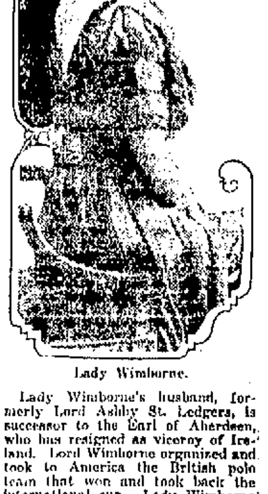
It is now conceded by physicians that the kidneys should have more attention as they control the other organs to a remarkable degree and do a tremendous amount of work in removing the poisons and waste matter from the system by filtering the blood.

During the winter months especially, when we live an indoor life, the kidneys should receive some assistance when needed, as we take less exercise, drink less water and often eat more rich heavy food, thereby forcing the kidneys to do more work than Nature intended. Evidence of kidney trouble, such as lame back, annoying bladder troubles, smarting or burning, brick-dust or sediment, sallow complexion, rheumatism, may be weak or irregular heart action, warn you that your kidneys require help immediately to avoid more serious trouble.

Many physicians claim that an herbal medicine containing no minerals or opiates has the most healing influence. An ideal herbal compound that has had most remarkable success as a kidney and bladder remedy is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcels Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention the Portsmouth Daily Times.

HER HUSBAND NAMED VICEROY OF IRELAND



Lady Wimborne.

Lady Wimborne's husband, formerly Lord Ashby St. Ledgers, is successor to the Earl of Aberdeen, who has resigned as viceroy of Ireland. Lord Wimborne organized and took to America the British polo team that won and took back the international cup. Lady Wimborne is the daughter of the second Baron Ebury.

EXHIBIT TONIGHT | Jess Of The Mountain Country | Tomorrow | THE WARNING

Motion Pictures Of The Happy Coasters

Providing the weather does not change, Manager Tynes, of the Columbia theater, will have his expert photographer, Roy Compton, make some motion pictures of the coasters as they glide down Lincoln Hill and Sunnyside. He expects to have these pictures taken Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, and if you want to get in the movies, better be around at one of these points at that time. Manager Tynes will also secure pictures of the motor-cycle sleds in action, which made their advent for the first time Tuesday. The success attendant upon the showing of the William Peerless Brown pictures was so great that he has come to the conclusion that the more local views he can secure the better his patrons will be pleased. The William Peerless Brown pictures will be shown at the Columbia again tonight, and they are first-class in every particular.

HAS A BABY ALLIGATOR

Mrs. Edward Clemens, of 1125 Ninth street, has received a box of delicious Southern fruit, and also a small baby alligator, which were sent to her by her son, Mr. Oscar Clemens, who with his wife is at present touring Florida. The young people expect to be home again at the end of the present week.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

All ex-soldiers and sailors are requested to attend the funeral services of Comrade Daniel R. Spry, which will take place from his late residence, No. 1004 East Second street, January 27th, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. We will assemble at the residence.

CREAD MILSTEAD.

A TRIBUTE

(By Milford Keyes)

With the death of Dan R. Spry, one of the most prominent, and in some respects the most interesting characters passes out of the life of Portsmouth.

He was born in Western New York, the son of Richard and Elizabeth Spry, both English people, coming direct from an old Shire town and settling in Western New York, as stated. The elder Spry was a locksmith and gunsmith by trade. In 1845 or 1846 the family felt the "call of the West," and packing their belongings into a comfortable houseboat, such as were common on the river in that day, and embarked on the Allegheny river for the long trip to Portsmouth. There were few Allegheny lumbermen in those days who didn't know a whole lot about Portsmouth. The splendid yellow pine forests of the Upper Allegheny furnished most of the building material for the then growing Middle West, and Portsmouth got it's share. At Norwich, Pa., an excellent family named Gibbs joined the party, having also heard of Portsmouth and desired to locate in that then out-of-the-way locality. The Gibbs family, like the Spry family, became very prominent and left their impress upon Portsmouth for the latter's good. Mr. Gibbs was a gunsmith and a fine musician. The Sprys were also a musical family, and all being extremely religious, the trip down the two great and lovely rivers was one of pleasure, pleasure born of culture and high ideals. It is a question if two families, with modest ambitions, left the East together, settled in a more promising locality and left such an influence of moral and social uplift as did the Sprys and the Gibbs'. Each worked towards an ideal.

For some reason the two families first landed at Springville, on the Kentucky side of the river, and at first thought seriously of making that their home, but after remaining there both moved over to Portsmouth and remained there through life. Mr. Spry set up in business and the children went into the schools. They all excelled in their studies. Daniel Spry, our subject, was a remarkable boy, it being no trouble for him to learn lessons of any kind. He was essentially a good boy and was held up as a model by many a mother, to be emulated by her own sons, and by all the teachers. He was regular in attendance at Sunday school and all church services. He was kind-hearted and generous and always ready to do anyone a favor, a trait which remained with him till the end. On leaving school young Spry went into the drug store of Dr. William J. McDowell and later to the pharmacy of Shackleford and Crichton, and there he graduated as a finished druggist, and on the retiring of Mr. Crichton became a member of the firm, the firm of Shackleford and Spry being the leading drug firm of Southern Ohio and Northeastern Kentucky for many decades. Young Spry was careful and properly ambitious, made friends for the house, practically invested his earnings and eventually registered up among the rich men. On the death of Dr. Shackleford Mr. Spry went into business for himself and was successful from the beginning. His was long the leading drug house of the city and of the section. He built the block in which the store is now located, which was twice destroyed by fire and washed out by floods four times, but arose from the ruins every time in better shape than before.

Mr. Spry was an honored member of Bailey Post, G. A. R. During the Civil war he saw service in the 140th Ohio Infantry, a regiment raised in the border counties of the state. The company to which Mr. Spry belonged was raised entirely in this city and county. Charles Soale was the captain, Henry and William Kinney lieutenants. Mr. Spry was hospital steward, and had entire charge of the medical department and hospital supplies for the entire regiment, his duties soon being made to cover the whole brigade. The regiment went to Gallipolis and thence up the Kanawha river to Charleston. The hospital service was very hard for some time [illegible] for Charleston was [illegible] hospital, and all the [illegible] section, [illegible] had to resort to [illegible] treatment. There [illegible] deaths.

Later [illegible] [illegible]

Mr. Spry [illegible] [illegible]

and all-around professor; George Davis, late banker; John W. Lewis, sheriff several times; Samuel N. Gilbert, for many years a merchant and commercial traveler, and many others.

After his military service the doctor returned to his drug business. He was always a base ball fan, took an interest in the big leagues, and was enthusiastically loyal to the home team. In his earlier years he belonged to Bigelow Methodist church, but later was transferred to All Saints Episcopal, in which connection he lived and died. He was very true to the tenets of the church. He was a man of strong convictions on nearly all subjects, and expressed his views forcibly sometimes, but was always willing to extend the right hand of fellowship to the other man when it was over.

Mr. Spry had not been a well man for a good many years, but a year ago in November he was taken to his bed and stayed there all winter. Many people think his sickness, of a tubercular nature, was caused by his going to the store too soon after the flood went down, when everything was damp and cold. He went down again in the spring, but the store was always damp after the flood.

Mr. Spry's only relatives of his immediate family are Mrs. Frances Helfenstein and Miss Thyrza Spry, at the home on East Second street. His brother, Robert N. Spry, a prominent lawyer, died several years ago. His widow and daughter, Mrs. Whitelaw, are living in Charleston, South Carolina. His oldest sister, Mrs. T. J. Pursell, died a few years ago. Her two daughters, Misses Mary E. and Tamzin, are living at the home on Gay street. Allen Spry, of Sixth street, is a cousin of the deceased. Daniel R. Spry was never married, but always kept more or less in touch with society people. In his younger days he was quite a beau.

He will be missed in many walks of life. The poor will miss him for he never failed to respond to a call for charity, however doubtful the subject. He will be missed by his church, for he was a liberal giver. He will be missed by the G. A. R. post, for to them he was also a cheerful giver. He will be missed in business circles, for no enterprise for the good of the city was ever advanced that he wasn't one of the quickest and most liberal givers. His estate is thought to be quite a good one.

In speaking of the Gibbs family we neglected to state that the oldest son, Frank C. Gibbs, went into the army and made quite a creditable record as an artillery captain, commanding Battery L of this county. He was subsequently postmaster two or more terms. The other son, Henry, was a brilliant musician and something of an actor, and died in Huntington a few years ago. The only daughter married young and died early. Edward Gibbs, of the B. & O. mail service is a cousin.

It is Just Natural To Admire Babies

Our altruistic nature impels love for the coming infant. And at the same time the subject of motherhood is ever before us. To know what to do that will add to the physical comfort of expectant motherhood is a subject that has interested most women of all times. One of the real helpful things is an external abdominal application sold in most drug stores under the name of "Mother's Friend." We have known so many grandmothers, who in their younger days relied upon this remedy, and who recommend it to their own daughters that it certainly must be what its name indicates. They have used it for its direct influence upon the muscles, cords, ligaments and tendons as it aims to afford relief from the strain and pain so often unnecessarily severe during the period of expectancy.

Every woman should mention "Mother's Friend" when the stork is the subject of conversation. An interesting little book is mailed free upon application to Bradfield Regulator Co., 405 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. It refers to many things that women like to read about.

Get or recommend a bottle of "Mother's Friend" to-day and write for the book.

NEW BOSTON

A large number of members were present at the meeting in the Christian church Monday evening to elect officers. J. C. Harris, superintendent of the Sunday school has acted as elder for five years. At the meeting it was voted to ordain him as an elder. Deacons will be elected Wednesday night, when the newly elected officers will organize. Fred Magee was elected treasurer and Elza Porter, Secretary. A. B. Griffin, George Griffin and Fred Magee were elected trustees for one year. A. B. Griffin has been trustee for three years and George Griffin and Magee for two years. Monday night's meeting was in charge of Chairman A. B. Griffin, Fred Magee acted as clerk. The recent revival brought fifteen additions to the church, which is in fine shape.

Mrs. Clara Everling, of East Rhodes avenue, is ill with a nervous shock. Friday evening at the Grandview Avenue Christian church when Rev. O. B. Catlin baptized five converts of the recent Christian church revival, Mrs. Thomas Bickett, one of the converts, fell back into the pool of water, when she jerked loose from Rev. Catlin and Mrs. Everling became frightened. Mrs. Everling is a sister to Mrs. Bickett.

William Middaugh, special watchman at the steel plant on day turn, is ill at his home on East Stanton avenue, threatened with pneumonia. Squire Will McManes, former Ohio avenue grocer, who has been working on one of the mills, is filling Middaugh's place.

Lester Helfenbein, Gallia pike shoe repairman, is visiting relatives in Waverly, O.

Will Canter, Gallia pike cash grocer, has been ill for two days, but is pluckily sticking to his job.

Charles Theobold, of East Rhodes avenue spent Sunday in Ironton.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold their regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lawson Sloan on Cedar street, Thursday afternoon.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. transacted routine business at their meeting Monday evening.

Mrs. Harley Finch, of Stewartsville, is visiting relatives in Harrisonville.

Four open hearths, four sheet mills, blooming mill, bar mill and jobbing mill will be in operation all week according to the notice on the bulletin board at the steel plant.

William Hacking, secretary of the Whitaker-Glessner Company, of Wheeling, was in the city to confer with steel plant officials Monday.

Walter Dressler, of Gallia pike, took a cool bath in the lake Sunday evening when he fell in while getting a bucket of water.

The stork left a fine baby son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Snodgrass, of Stewartsville, several days ago.

Albia Evans, night superintendent of the sheet and jobbing mills at the steel plant, is handing out the smokes to his many friends, who are congratulating him on the arrival of a baby son, who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evans on Harrisonville avenue, several days ago.

Mrs. Asa Canter is confined to her home on Pine street, with a slight illness.

Mrs. Will Wheeler, of Cedar street, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Nash, former residents of Grace street, who moved to Sciotoville several weeks ago, received word from their relatives in Wellston Tuesday that their daughter Elizabeth is getting along nicely. Miss Nash was visiting relatives about two weeks ago and was burned, when a fire nearly destroyed her relatives' home. She was in a Wellston hospital for several days.

Superintendents To Meet

The regular meeting of the district school superintendents will be held Friday afternoon at the office of the county superintendent, E. O. McCowen, in the Kricker building. The superintendents will continue the discussion of the course of study to be adopted for the Scioto county rural schools, started a few months ago. Prof. Clarke Fullerton will lead the discussion on "Language."

Pastor's Busy Life.

The epitaph on the tombstone of the late Dr. Rees Bromant, in Cardiganshire, sets out the following facts in Welsh: He christened 1,496 children, he buried 1,792 persons, he preached 5,000 sermons, he spoke 271 times on total abstinence, he paid hundreds of pounds of chapel debts by lectures.

DON'T WASH YOUR HAIR WITH SOAP

When you wash your hair, don't use soap. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain [illegible] oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very [illegible] You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

[illegible] moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out [illegible]. The hair dries quickly and [illegible], and is soft, fresh looking, [illegible] and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

of David Belasco's greatest successes and he personally directed the promotion of the picture version, the tense romantic, dramatic story, the superb acting of Bessie Barriscale, J. W. Johnstone and a selected cast and the exceptionally beautiful scenery throughout makes "The Rose of the Rancho" an exceptional picture, a triumph in the broadest sense of the word. First show will start at 6:30 tonight, second show about ten minutes of eight and the third about nine-thirty.

"Paid In Full," another masterpiece, will be the feature for tomorrow. Everybody knows of this splendid play and picture. It was one of the greatest dramas ever staged, running for five successive seasons on Broadway and was the most talked of play in the world. The picture is all it ought to be. Tully Marshall and a cast including members of the original production, make up the cast in the picture also. The Famous Players company made the picture under the direction of Augustus Thomas himself. The admission will be ten cents and Davison's orchestra has arranged a special musical program to play with it. Another great picture this week at the Lyric will be Kathlyn Williams in "The Story of the Blood Red Rose" in three parts. Everybody who has seen this picture says it is the greatest in her career.

Good Things At The Coumbia

The Coumbia offers an especially attractive program for this evening in "Fate and the Fugitive" an intensely interesting feature picture in two parts, and "The Escape on the Limited" another of those thrilling railroad pictures in "The Hazards of Helen" series.

In this last picture you will see the heroine, Helen Holmes, take a gasoline car and drive it at a furious rate of speed to overtake the limited express, on which a criminal has escaped after disconnecting the wires in the railroad office in charge of her. The climax in this picture is thrilling and highly exciting.

Tomorrow, "The Old Code," a special feature picture in two parts is easily one of the best two-reelers we have presented for some time. It is a story of love and adventure in the wilderness of the great northwest and aside from the interesting story it tells, the wild scenery in this picture is a real feature in itself.

After many weeks of absence, that old favorite, Maurice Costello, comes back to the Columbia tomorrow in a single reel picture entitled "The Product."

Don't overlook the Paramount offering on next Friday in "The Bargain," a five reel feature production of western life, the scenes of which are laid in The Grand Canyon of Arizona, one of the world's natural wonder spots.

Make your arrangements now to see this great picture next Friday, as it will only be in Portsmouth this one day.

At The Exhibit

"Jess of the Mountain Country" is a big feature that is being offered at the Exhibit today. It is a story teeming with the life of the mountains, full of thrills and excitement, escapes and rescues. The picture is all that the name implies and assures the patrons of an evening's amusement.

"The Warning" is the feature offered for Wednesday with many interesting and entertaining scenes.

Temple Theatre Tonight

"The Barrier of Flames," a two reel Thanhouser, a drama of real life, will be shown at the Temple tonight. Three favorite stars, all of whom escape from the flames in a thrilling manner, will participate in the cast. One reel Royal, entitled "Two Kisses" a funny mixup over a popular song. Third feature, "Our Weekly." Latest happenings of the World.

Lime Treatment in Tuberculosis

In the May 25, 1912, issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association appeared this statement concerning calcium (lime) medication in the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis (consumption):

"Under the systematic, continued and persistent regime of calcium assimilation, Van Giesen has seen a number of his patients improve, undergo an exudation or partial consolidation in the lung, which then resolving would appear to contribute to the walling off and closing of the lesions. Hand in hand with this course of events, the sputum clears up of tubercle bacilli, which finally disappear, and the patients are discharged with healed pulmonary tuberculosis."

Ethical medical journals seldom speak so positively about a remedial agent, yet this testimony coincides with that from many consumptives who have secured like results through the use of Eckman's Alterative.

Since calcium is a constituent of this remedy for pulmonary tuberculosis and allied throat and bronchial affections, its healing power may in some measure be attributed to the manner in which this element is so combined with other ingredients as to be easily assimilated by the average person and it does not irritate the stomach.

Eckman's Alterative contains no opiates, narcotics or habit-forming drugs, so it is safe to try. If your druggist is out of it, ask him to order, or send direct to

Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

"The Rose of the Rancho," Paramount Feature at the Lyric Tonight

"The Rose of the Rancho" in five parts and about four hundred wonderful scenes, is the big attraction at the Lyric tonight. This [illegible] is one

IF YOU ARE A DRINKING MAN

You had better stop at once or you'll lose your job. Every line of business is closing its doors to "Drinking" men. It may be your turn next. By the aid of ORRINE thousands of men have been restored to lives of sobriety and industry.

We are so sure that ORRINE will benefit you that we say to you that if after a trial you fail to get any benefit from its use, your money will be refunded.

When you stop "Drinking," think of the money you'll save; besides, sober men are worth more to their employers and get higher wages.

Costs only $1.00 a box. We have an interesting booklet about ORRINE that we are giving away free on request. Call at our store and talk it over.

Wurster Bros., 419 Chillicothe Street.

THEATRICAL

At The Sun

The popular Musical comedy, "Forty-five Minutes from Broadway," presented by the Barrett Players at the New Sun for the first half made a big hit last night.

It is an unusual thing to have a dramatic company present a musical show, but they seem to make a hit with every number. All bills look alike to this clever troupe of artists.

Frank Morris is the favorite in this round of pleasure. There's a laugh in every line and rounds of applause for every song. The role of Kid Burnes, rough and ready, a true son of Broadway, seems to have been written for him and he brings out every detail in a way that is a riot of fun from start to finish.

Anna May as Mary Jane, the house maid, makes a hit. The part is different from any that this clever girl has played during the company's stay here, but proof of the fact is the hearty applause that greeted her ready wit and splendid singing.

Eddy B. La Renz, playing the part of Tom Bennett, heir-at-law, did his part to furnish funny situations by his ability to get in bad with his mother-in-law to be.

Bode's orchestra will furnish the music.

The bill for the last half will be another rural play, "The New Dominion," all together different from any that the company has played, but promises to be full of good comedy. The country store will be a feature Friday night.

Eye Trouble ?

You need us.

We are competent refractionists.

Qualified to test eyes and fit the proper lenses.

Sufficiently shrewd to avoid the folly of taking any case we are not qualified to handle.

Honest enough to tell you you need the attention of a specialist.

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1 dozen fresh Eggs	38c
1 lb. good Butter	20 to 35c
Good Bacon	14 and 15c
Good Flour	85 to 95c
3 qts. Colored Beans	25c
2 qts. Hominy	5c
1 can Corn and Tomatoes	15c
2 lbs. Crackers or Snaps	15c
1 25c can Asparagus	15c
1 lb. good Coffee	14 and 15c
Arbuckles Coffee	18c

Give us your orders early.

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This is to be a White Sale long to be remembered

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES DURING THIS WHITE SALE

Each Reduction In Bona-Fide and Each Lot Taken Right From Our Regular Stock

One hundred Muslin Gowns are to be sold on Wednesday. Don't delay. Come and get one. Each	25c
Regular 50c values in Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Muslin Gowns, four styles to choose from	39c
65c and 75c values in Muslin and Crepe Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, pretty styles, well made too, for	49c
$1.00 qualities in ten different styles Cambric Gowns, you will want several of them. To be sold at	69c
$1.25 and $1.50 lot of Cambric and Crepe Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed. Why make them while these are here for only	98c
$2.25 and $2.50 values in a large assortment of high grade gowns, square and round necks, all styles, to be sold at	$1.49
One hundred Muslin Petticoats are to be sold on Wednesday. Better be quick and get one only	25c
50c and 65c values in Petticoats, trimmed with embroidery on flounce. The materials are really worth more	39c
$1.00 lot of Cambric Petticoats that are lace, beading and ribbon trimmed. Each style a good one too, for	79c
$1.25 and $1.50 Lace and Embroidery trimmed Cambric Petticoats. Come and see how good they are. Extra qualities for	98c
$2.00 to $2.50 lot of high grade Cambric Petticoats, trimmed with Val Laces. A choice collection is here, for	$1.59
Small lot of short Muslin Petticoats go at little prices to close out. 50c values for 39c. $1.00 values for	79c

Interesting Corset Bargains!

If your size is here they are real bargains. Come and see.

$5.00 Redfern Corsets in two good styles to close out at	$3.98
$4.00 quality Redfern Corsets in several styles to close out at	$2.98
$3.50 and $4.00 models in La Greeque Corsets, two styles, to close at only	$2.50
$1.50 and $2.00 lot of La Greeque and W. B. Rust Proof Corsets for only	98c
$1.00 quality Rust Proof Corsets with six hose supporters, all sizes, for	79c
A splendid four hose supporter Batiste Corset in all sizes, to be sold at	49c
One small lot of Cambric Chemise, 50c quality for only	39c

Combination and Princess Slips

Three special lots of each style that are selling at less than the actual cost of materials.

$2.25 and $2.50 Drawers and Corset Covers in combinations. Extra quality trimmed with laces and embroideries for	$1.49
$3.00 to $3.50 extra fine Combination of Corset Cover and Drawers to be sold at only	$1.98
$1.25 and $1.50 embroidery and lace trimmed Princess Slips. Several good styles to choose from, for	98c
$2.00 Princess Slips made of Long Cloth, trimmed with fine lace, embroidery and ribbon for	$1.29
$2.50 lot of extra quality Princess Slips in several good styles to close out at	$1.49
$1.00 values in embroidery and lace trimmed Princess Slips to be sold at	79c

Watch our advertisements each day this week as they will contain special information in regard to this Money Saving Sale.

25c lot of good Corset Covers for only 19c

Marting's
PORTSMOUTH, O.

50c lot of extra Corset Covers for only 39c

CHAUFFEUR RUNNING ON HIGH GEAR SETS A NEW FORGERY RECORD AND IS NOW BEHIND BARS

Operating in a "gay and debonnair," one might almost say a "dashing manner," one Charles Chestnut, erstwhile chauffeur for Mark W. Selby, started out on a career of forgery yesterday afternoon, and when he was "laid low" by the heavy guns of the police force of two cities, assisted by civilians, he had left in his wake such a number of indignant victims, that his raid into high finance might well be likened to the career of the dauntless German cruiser Emden.

With the smell of gasoline in his nostrils, Chestnut, who had been discharged by Mr. Selby recently, started out to gather a little easy money. He cashed a check for $25 and found it so easy that he tried it again. Checks bearing Mr. Selby's signature were rapidly accepted at par value, and Chestnut soon threw open the throttle and running on high gear started out to make a new record for the number of forged checks passed by one person in a single afternoon. He evidently had "chains" on to keep from slipping during the afternoon, as reports from his victims showed that he played no favorites as far as sections of the city were concerned. Likewise doctors, grocers, furniture dealers, drygoods men, etc., all looked alike to him, and he covered a good sized stretch of territory.

Chestnut is known to have victimized at least nine well known firms or citizens, and the returns may not all be in.

Knew When To Beat A Retreat

Taking warning when one of his victims, who had become suspicious, collared him on the highway, and forced him to disgorge $20 he had secured at the Play House, Chestnut decided that "He who forges and runs away, may live to forge some other day," and began a retreat, via the trolley route. With his pockets bulging with money, proceeds of checks aggregating $165 that he had cashed he took a traction car to Sciotoville, where he later boarded N. & W. train No. 32, due at Ironton at 8:30, evidently believing that burg was as good a place as any in which to be lost to the world.

In the meantime there was buzzing to and fro in Portsmouth much like that at Hartlepool, and sister English cities, when the German raiders swooped down, and the city headquarters were besieged with appeals for help. The valiant officers made one daring sortie from the bastile in their armored motor car, before Chestnut had left his boarding house, but being waved back by a non-combatant, decided it was no case for official interference, and returned empty-handed. Later when repeated complaints rolled in, the police of Ironton and other cities were notified, and a vigorous effort was made to apprehend Chestnut.

Through plans made by Will Atlas and William Milam, one of his clerks, Milam got on the train for Ironton, located Chestnut, secured the assistance of Sheriff Sloan, of Lawrence county, who happened to be on the train, and triumphantly nabbed Chestnut and two men who were with him. They were later released.

Sheriff Pete Has Got Him

Sheriff Pete Smith left last night on the late N. & W. train for Ironton, where he got Chestnut and brought him back to Portsmouth. Chestnut now occupies a cell in the county jail. Practically all of the money he secured from his wholesale check passing was found on his person. Among the firms he succeeded in victimizing are: Fashion $25, Smoke House $10, Alva Chabot, Third street grocer, $25, Play House $20, The London Shop $25, Jas. Hager, Gallia street druggist, $20, Charles Weaver, grocer at Ninth and Washington streets, $20, Horchow Furniture company $25, and Dr. S. P. Fetter $20.

Chestnut is afflicted with tuberculosis and his only plea is that he was trying to raise money to get into a sanitarium.

Chestnut Tells How He "Worked"

Chestnut talked freely to Sheriff Smith after the local officer had taken him into custody at Ironton late Monday night, readily confessing his guilt and explaining the details of his actions Monday afternoon, going so far as to furnish the sheriff a list of the men and firms he had swindled.

He said that he was prompted to forge the checks by a desire to raise money enough to pay his expenses to Albuquerque, New Mexico, for the benefit of his health. According to the story told the sheriff on the way home, he wrote the checks at his boarding house on John street early Monday afternoon, and then waited until the banks had closed before he started to cash them. He said he experienced no difficulty in cashing the checks.

"When Mr. Distel cornered me near the boarding house and compelled me to make good the check which he had cashed for me, I knew that the 'jig was up'," Chestnut told the sheriff. "I immediately grabbed my suit case and left the house, taking the first street car to New Boston, where I changed cars to Sciotoville."

Chestnut laughingly told how he outwitted Captain Cooper at Sciotoville Monday evening. From a safe hiding place near the depot, he says he watched Cooper making a careful search about the station, and later saw him board the train. He waited until Cooper had walked through the train before he boarded it.

With the police officer out of the way, he thought his escape was certain, but he soon changed his mind when Homer Milam came through the coach. Milam told him that he was in search of him, and he submitted to arrest without any resistance when Sheriff Sloan later took him in custody on the train.

Chestnut told Sheriff Smith that his intention was to go to Kenova, and there take the C. & O. train back to Ashland, Ky. At the latter place he intended to take an early train Tuesday forning for Lexington, and there board a Q. & C. train for the south, continuing on to Albuquerque. After his arrival at Albuquerque he said he intended to forward enough money to his wife to join him there.

Middletown Former Home

The young forger claims Middletown as his home, and says he has a brother living there now. His father and another brother reside in Dayton, while his mother is dead. His wife is now with her relatives at Middletown, expecting him to join her. They have not been notified of his trouble. He left Middletown last June, accompanied by his wife, and came direct to this city. Soon after their arrival, a daughter was born to them, which is now seven months old.

Chestnut claims to have been one of the 1913 flood victims, telling Sheriff Smith that his entire personal belongings were wiped out in the flood at Middletown. That was the reason that he and his wife did light housekeeping in this city, he says.

No arrangements have been made for his preliminary hearing, which will likely be held before one of the local justices of the peace within the next few days. One of his victims will be requested to file an affidavit against him, on the strength of which he will be bound over to the grand jury.

Much of the credit for Chestnut's capture is due Will Atlas and Homer Milam.

Will Atlas Is Real Detective

Laboring under the impression that Chestnut, who reaped a rich harvest would attempt to make a get away on N. & W. train No. 32, Monday night, Wm. Atlas had Homer Milam, of The Fashion, board the train and keep a close lookout for him. Milam was acquainted with Chestnut and for this reason Mr. Atlas suggested that he make the trip to Ironton, which proved the undoing of Chestnut. Milam saw Chestnut on the train and stepping up to him said: "I want you. You have forged a check in Portsmouth and I am going to take you," said Milam, who deserves much of the credit that goes with the prisoner's capture. Milam summoned Sheriff Sloan and ordered him to arrest Chestnut. This took place after the train had passed Wheelersburg.

Upon their arrival there Sheriff Sloan got in communication with Sheriff Pete Smith and the latter made arrangements to go after the alleged forger on the late N. & W. train.

From all indications Chestnut, who until a short time ago lived on Bond street, near Fourth, experienced very little difficulty in passing his checks, which were drawn on the Security bank and were purported to have been signed by Mark W. Selby with whom Chestnut had been employed until the middle of last week. When arrested Chestnut had $140 on him.

Goes Gaily On His Crime Career

Claiming that he was afflicted with tuberculosis and that he was going to Springfield to enter a sanitarium, Chestnut told a straightforward story according to the firms he succeeded in victimizing. He had frequently cashed his pay checks signed by Mark W. Selby and this aided him in no small way as his victims had no way of telling that the checks were bogus. He put up a pitiful tale at each place and was not turned down at any stop. At the Smoke House George McMahon gave Chestnut but $10 of a check calling for $25. Chestnut was told to return Tuesday morning for the additional $15.

One of Chestnut's first stops was at Alva Chabot's grocery at Third and North Waller streets. He called there about 4:40 Monday afternoon and asked Mr. Chabot to cash a $25 check for him drawn on the Security bank and signed by Mark W. Selby. As Chestnut had been in his store several days ago and told Mr. Chabot about his physical condition and that Mr. Selby was going to help him enter a Springfield sanitarium, Mr. Chabot believed his story and cashed his check.

Then Over To The Doctor

Chestnut then left for Dr. S. P. Fetter's office. He learned that Dr. Fetter was making a call. He told Miss Ida Row, Dr. Fetter's housekeeper, that he wanted to pay his bill amounting to $2. He presented a check calling for $20. Miss Row gave Chestnut a ten dollar bill and two fives for the check and then Chestnut paid the $2 with one of the smaller bills.

Chestnut then stepped around to the Fashion store on Gallia street. It was about five o'clock when he entered this store and asked Mrs. Emma Patton to cash a check calling for $25. After she saw that the check was signed by Mark W. Selby she cashed the check for Chestnut, who left with his money.

All Looked Alike To Busy Chestnut

James Hager's drug store at Gallia and Sinton streets was one of the next stops made by Chestnut, who worked very rapidly and who told practically the same story at each place. Upon entering Mr. Hager's store he presented a check calling for $20 to Clerk Clay Lantz. "I'm all in and will have to leave town as my doctor says I got consumption," said Chestnut as he tendered Mr. Lantz the check, which was cashed.

Chestnut was getting along so famously and was acquiring so much wealth and apparently without an effort that he just kept on going from place to place.

Hustles Over To Horchow's

chow Furniture company he presented a check for $25 and it was cashed. The check was examined pretty closely and it looked alright.

Then it was that Chestnut decided that he ought to buy a pair of shoes so he went to the London Shop, purchased a pair for $3.50 and tendered Clerk Charley Bourgholtzer, check for $25. He was given $21.50 and the pair of shoes he purchased. When arrested Chestnut had the shoes under his arm. He admitted having purchased them in the London Shop and he begged and pleaded with Milam not to have him arrested. According to Milam's statement made Tuesday Chestnut wanted to give him a good sum not to notify Sheriff Sloan to arrest him.

Showing that he favored no one section of the city against another, Chestnut left his scene of operation in the business section and went out to Charley Weaver's grocery at Ninth and Washington streets. Chestnut had been having an account there and when he asked to pay his bill he was told he owed $9. He tendered a $20 check and was given $11 back.

Will Gableman Right On The Job

Things were moving along very serenely for Chestnut until he reached the Play House. There he asked Clerk Lew Distel to cash a $20 check similar to those passed at other places and Mr. Distel accommodated Chestnut. He had been away from the Play House but a few minutes until Manager William Gableman returned. Examining the check he became suspicious of it and at once got in communication with Mr. Selby, who informed him that he had not issued any checks whatever. Mr. Distel, getting a tip that Chestnut had gone to John street, where he lived he soon located him and when threatened with arrest Chestnut begged off and turned over the $20 Mr. Distel had given him.

Chestnut got down on his knees in the snow and "cried like a baby." Mr. Distel felt so good over securing his money that he told the police, who he met coming back from Chestnut's home to let him go.

Began To Come Then The Calls

When developments came later and a search was started for Chestnut he was found missing. One by one the firms, who had been victimized by Chestnut called up the police and enlisted their aid in getting their money back. It was about 5:40 p. m. when the police began to realize that they would have to locate a wholesale forger and five of them jumped into the city service wagon and went to the Play House. Getting a description of Chestnut they started on his trail.

The police learned that Chestnut's wife had left the city Sunday and that he was living on John street, but they could find no trace of him. As Chestnut afterward admitted he went to Sciotoville on a car and boarded N. & W. train No. 32 there last night at 7:50.

Chestnut is quite well known in the city, having lived here for over a year. Prior to coming to Portsmouth he resided in Piqua and before Mr. Selby employed him he called up several business friends in that town about Chestnut and they gave him a good recommendation. Chestnut has been in poor health for sometime and has been telling his friends that a local physician had told him of his condition and the advisability of going to a higher altitude.

As late as Monday Dr. W. W. Smith examined Chestnut and upon finding him quite ill with a pulmonary affection, certified him over to the city and the city authorities certified him over to John Addis, superintendent of the county infirmary.

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Some are sending in money, some are contributing clothing. A few days ago we received a large box of clothing from the Epworth League of the M. E. church at Proctorsville, Ohio, also a large box from the Epworth League at Oak Hill, O. We have just received two large barrels well packed with clothing, from the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church at Tarlton, Ohio. This clothing will be on sale in our rooms at 512 Second street tomorrow from 12:00 to 5 p. m. Any one wanting cheap clothing will do well to come in.

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Ben Y. Yeley, who was stricken with paralysis some weeks ago, at his home in Wait's Station, is no better. He is an uncle of Police Clerk Dennis Corriell.

James Quinn, a well known down town restaurant man, continues in bad shape with dropsy at his home on Front street.

Miss Anna Merrill, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Hempstead Hospital Saturday, was reported resting comfortably Monday. It will be several days before she will be entirely out of danger.

Miss Bessie Johnson was operated upon at the Hempstead Hospital Monday.

Mrs. George Martin has been ill with the grip for several days at her home on Sixth street.

Mrs. C. E. Brooks, of 1219 Summit street, who has been seriously ill for some time, is improving.

We get there quick. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February, 1915, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the clerk of the board of education of Washington township, Scioto county, Ohio, the board of education of said township will sell to the highest bidder a bond in the value of $750. Said bond is issued in the sum of $750 and runs for a period of two years, and drawing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum. Interest payable semi-annually. Said bond shall not be sold for any less than its face value and any interest which may have accrued thereon. Said board reserves the privilege of rejecting any and all bids. Said bond is issued by virtue of the provisions of Section 5658 of the Ohio Code.

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WITH WOMEN

Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 26—Governor Hall today declared he would refuse to honor requisition papers for the extradition of women to other states unless the infractions of the law charged are of a major character. "The police of large cities can better employ their time than in running over the country after women wanted on minor charges," he said.

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I have a letter of interest to the South Portsmouth widow who had a question in this column several months ago. [illegible] address and same will be forwarded.

Malcotsan, Ky.—Miss Dolly Wise—The "charge" [illegible] of [illegible] wanted to know was June [illegible] 1890.
J. G. SWEARENGIN.
Malcotsan, Ky.

Dear Dolly.—Do you think it benefited Portsmouth to have the opera house burn down? Why?
ROSCOE.

I wouldn't call a disastrous fire a benefit to any city, Roscoe.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a girl of 15. Am I too young to have a man walk home with me from skating or coasting?
BESSIE.

Too young to have a young man walk home with you, but not too young to walk with a boy playmate or school chum. I hope you don't go coasting or skating after dark without a chaperone, Bessie.

Dear Dolly.—Please tell me where I can exchange old coins?
SUBSCRIBER.

Dear Dolly.—Would you please tell me what the loss of the Opera House was when it burned down? And what was the building's loss? What date was it that they had those Bible moving pictures?
HENRY.

It seems to have been a total loss, Henry. [illegible] probably covers the loss. Those pictures were shown sometime last summer, but I can't remember the exact dates.

Dear Miss Wise.—We are two girls 14 years of age. Is it all right to [illegible] from [illegible] our age?
CHUMS.

No.

Dear Miss Wise.—Will you please tell me if "third" means forty-third or four hundred and third?
WANT TO KNOW.

It means [illegible] and third.

Dear Miss Wise—I have been keeping company about a month with a girl 16 years old. How many evenings would it be right for me to call on a girl of that age?
STEADY READER.

Don't frighten her into coldness by going too often. Once a week should make you tolerably well acquainted with each other for a while. Don't begin the siege by violent love making. Make sure that she is the one woman in the world for you before you give her reason to suspect your designs, and let her have the same chance to study your [illegible] [illegible] there would be fewer unhappy marriages.

Dear Miss Wise.—How [illegible]
JUNIE.

Pay no attention [illegible]

Dear Miss Wise.—[illegible]
BRUNETTE.

[illegible] powder or [illegible]

Dear Miss Wise.—Should a bedroom be ventilated from below or from above? I mean should the windows be lowered from the top or raised from the bottom?
A MOTHER.

Unless the draft thus made is likely to blow directly upon sleepers lower the upper sash an inch or two in cold weather—a foot or more upon mild nights. The impure, heated air rises to the ceiling and escapes through the opening, to be replaced by a stream of cooler and purer. There is always a stratum of cold air next to the floor.

Dolly Wise.—Will you please in tonight's Times give a remedy for perspiring feet. How is my writing?
D. E. M.

Bathe the feet every day and then dust talcum powder on them. Also change your hose every day. It is also a good idea to change your shoes every other day if you are lucky enough to own an extra pair. Your writing is very good.

Table Drawers—Your questions answered in order. Shonk does not give drawing lessons. [illegible] never attended a school of cartooning not so far as I am able to learn and the great majority of other cartoonists [illegible] [illegible] There are so many mechanical difficulties to be overcome in making drawings for use in the fast news paper presses that an illustrator's [illegible] from the drawing stand point is practically [illegible]

August Wills—If your [illegible]

[illegible]

whites—Use sliced lunch tongue with potted chicken, or potted tongue with sliced chicken, or both may be chopped. In this case take equal quantities of chopped chicken and tongue.

Roast Beef Sandwiches—Chop enough tinned roast beef to make one cup, add one tablespoon of melted butter, one tablespoon of catsup, one teaspoon of Worcestershire sauce, and one of salt. Mix to make a smooth paste and spread on buttered bread.

Egg Sandwiches—Chop hard-boiled eggs fine. Mix with mayonnaise and spread on buttered bread. Lay strips of Mortadella sausage between the slices of bread.

Deviled Ham Sandwiches—Mix one can of deviled ham with one tablespoon of butter, one tablespoon of chutney sauce and one tablespoon of minced chives.

Welsh Sandwiches—Mince until quite fine pieces of cold boiled ham and add an equal quantity of soft Brie cheese. Spread between slices of buttered bread.

Potted Tongue Sandwiches—Spread the bread with butter creamed with potted tongue, season with lemon juice and chopped parsley. Lay slices of hard-boiled eggs between the slices of bread.

Will print your butterscotch pie later.

Madge—The medicine you mentioned is harmless as far as I know, but it will not make one fat for I know a person who took it and they never gained an ounce the whole time they took it. However, you might try it if you care to. The other medicine you mentioned I know nothing about it and therefore cannot recommend it. If it's natural for you to be slender all the medicines in the world will not make you fat. If you are perfectly healthy why worry about whether you are fat or thin. Some folks are never satisfied.

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SOCIETY

The Portsmouth Reading Club held an interesting meeting last evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Williamson, where the thirty members present enjoyed an evening with Kipling. Mr. [illegible] Ross, an honorary member, who is [illegible] years of age, gave a reading, "[illegible]" [illegible] by Kipling [illegible]

Mr. C. M. [illegible] gave "Tommy" and An [illegible] the Late War.

Miss Clara Wiles, "A Bankr" from Plain Tales from the Hills.

[illegible] "The Arrest" [illegible]

Mrs. [illegible] played [illegible] piano solo.

The program ended with delicious refreshments.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George [illegible] when the program will include a reading of a Wonder Play.

Miss Hazel [illegible] has gone to [illegible] Chillicothe [illegible] the home of Miss Jennie Mitchell on Sixth street.

Mrs. Robert S. Kyle was a [illegible] at the fortnightly meeting of the [illegible] Club [illegible] on Second street. The [illegible] Mesdames I. D. [illegible] Guy Williams, Curtis Hoer and [illegible] The game was followed by refreshments at the [illegible] Mrs. Frank [illegible] will [illegible] the next meeting in [illegible]

The Ladies' Aid Society of All [illegible] will give one of their [illegible] Thursday evening at the Club.

Mrs. Arthur H. Bannon and Mrs. [illegible] W. [illegible] Jr. have returned from a short stay in Cincinnati.

[illegible] Presbyterian [illegible] called meeting [illegible] church last evening and made [illegible]

[illegible] of the [illegible] will hold [illegible] Wednesday afternoon [illegible] the spring of the revival [illegible]

[illegible] Elizabeth [illegible] Augusta [illegible] Ruth [illegible] and Martha [illegible] W. [illegible] Armstrong, J. [illegible]

[illegible] M. Rich [illegible] and Mrs. E. [illegible] for the [illegible] Trinity [illegible] Wednesday afternoon [illegible] home 1724 [illegible]

[illegible] of Wheeling [illegible] relatives here [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sullivan, assisted by their daughters, Ann and [illegible] entertained with cards Saturday night at their home in Buena Vista. The game was progressive euchre. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Harsha, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rietz, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Knox and Robert Knox, Jr. Miss Anna Walsh, of Orway, Mrs. Margaret [illegible] a guest at the Knox home, Mr. M. Young, Denver Young, Robert Leach, Jeanette Leach, Harry Hardman, Edward Robbins, Ernest Stockham. Miss Jeanette Leach won the ladies' first prize, a handpainted cup and saucer; Mr. Denver Young the men's first prize, a box of linen handkerchiefs. He also won the [illegible] prize, a box of stationary. Mr. E. Robbins won the consolation, a toy accordion. Refreshments of [illegible] cake and coffee were served at the card tables, after which Miss Walsh and the Misses Sullivan entertained with a short musical program.

Mrs. [illegible] Hamilton entertained the [illegible] Whist Club [illegible] where the guests were Mrs. John Peebles and daughter, Mrs. Jay Lee Cross, of Cleveland, Mrs. R. D. Yates, Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mrs. Charles Hall and Miss Ruth Thompson. Delicious refreshments followed the game.

The next meeting of the All Saints' Guild [illegible] will be held at the home of Mrs. L. P. Hollenberg, who will be assisted by Mrs. J. S. Pearce and Mrs. John Czech [illegible]

Miss Margaret Reif, of Ironton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Reif, of Wheelersburg.

Mrs. Addie Schuler and Miss Blanche Schuler, of Louisville, are [illegible] the guests of Mrs. [illegible] Dixon, of Dixon's Mills.

Mrs. R. T. Bragg and son Charles, of Sciotoville, are visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Morrell, of Fourth street, and Mrs. W. H. White, of Fourteenth street.

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The Wesley Mission L. T. L. met last evening at the hall with 14 members and 2 visitors present. The meeting opened with the song, "Tramp, Tramp, the States Are Marching."

Scripture Reading, XV Psalm—Floyd Sparks.

Prayer—Mrs. Gillespie, after which Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Ward gave an object lesson, using alcohol and water. A lighted match being touched to the alcohol, it burned, but the water being pure, put the fire out. The thought given was to show that the alcohol would burn the brain and destroy the whole system.

Refreshments were served, after which the Lord's Prayer was repeated. The meeting adjourned to meet February 8th, at the same place.

William Gharky, of Philadelphia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Samuel Rice, on Second street.

The Progress Club held the regular meeting last evening at the home of Miss Blanche Stokley, on New Fifth street, who was assisted by Mrs. Nellie Hudson Tener. There were fifteen members present. The program consisted of:

"New Women in China and Japan—Miss Loraine Schlichter.

Current Events—Club.

Music—Miss Erma Clark.

Refreshments followed the program.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Anna Dierell, with Miss Erma Clark as assisting hostess.

Mrs. James W. Bannon, Jr., will entertain the Tuesday Afternoon Sewing Club tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon.

Miss Caroline Holt has gone to her home in Huntington at the end of a visit with her sister, Miss Mary Holt.

William H. Bort has returned from a short business trip to Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton H. Longfellow will entertain the members of the Saturday Afternoon Whist Club and their husbands Thursday evening, February [illegible], at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. York, where they are staying during the absence of the Yorks in California.

Mrs. William Dörr came last night from a [illegible] relatives in [illegible] Miss Ethel Doerr to visit her relatives until the end of the week.

Mr. Lafe Lile and [illegible] Miss [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] unable to take care of her [illegible] Mrs. William Sowers, who is ill [illegible] with congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. Harley E. Marsh's [illegible] school pupils held a study recital yesterday afternoon at her home on Sixth street, where there were present Misses Katherine Hell, A. Jeffords, Dorothy Varner, Mildred McAfee, Seneca Jenkins, Mabel Martin, Norma Petry. The program included selections from Beethoven, Mozart, Haydn, [illegible] Burgmuller, Heller, Hollaender and Chaminade. Preceding [illegible] there were answered and Richard Wagner's story of Tannhauser was read by Mrs. Marsh. The meeting was very beneficial and very enjoyable to the pupils who took part.

Miss Bessie Kilgore, daughter of P. W. Kilgore, a well known Hillside real estate man, has returned from a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Corrigan, at Lexington, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staker, of Pine Creek, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fisher, of Ohio Furnace.

A delightful party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross in Fullerton, recently. Following the games the hostess served dainty refreshments. Those present were: Misses Ruby Webb, Mary Loizer, May Osborne, Marjorie Cline, Lola Timberlake, Mattie Webb, Cora Enyart, Mary Ross, Anna Dowdy, Lucile Ross, Mary Allen, Mary Miller, [illegible] Ross, Marie Dowdy, and Messrs. Owen Kale, Taylor Prince, John Osborne, Arthur Miller, Fred Adkins, Owen Martin, Ezra Williams, Harold Ross, Landon Wells, Finlay Riley, William Adkins, Harry Timberlake, William Dowdy, and O. E. Burke.

Mr. John Osborn, of Warnock, Ky., visited Portsmouth friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Alex Kelso and baby daughter Katherine, left Monday for a visit to relatives at Corning, Columbus and other points. During their absence Mrs. Kelso has as a guest, Mrs. Carrie Somerville, of Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.

Mrs. Elias Stone and children, who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, will leave the first of the month for her home in Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Fole Simmons, who has been spending several weeks at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lake, will leave Friday for her home in Cincinnati.

The Double Daisy Hope Club will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Elsie Hicks, corner of Offnere and Fourth streets.

Miss Anna Merrill, who was operated upon in Hempstead Hospital a few days ago for appendicitis, is getting along splendidly and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

[illegible] Cumberland Gap, Tenn., a college friend, who arrived yesterday to spend a week at the Wilson home. Last evening [illegible] gave a stag [illegible] party [illegible] [illegible] Luther Jaynes, [illegible] Stanley Hopkins, [illegible] Lester Norton, [illegible] Robert [illegible] Leon Wilson.

The building committee of the First [illegible] will hold [illegible] meeting this [illegible] at the church.

[illegible] Afternoon [illegible] meet Tuesday [illegible] home of Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible] returned from Terre Haute, Ind., where they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible]

THE PRICE SHE PAYS

There is hardly an American woman nowadays who can keep pace with the demands made upon her time and energy without paying the penalty of ill-health. It may be that dreadful backache, dragging pains, headaches, nervousness or the tortures of a displacement. It is the price she pays. To women in this condition Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound comes as a boon and a blessing. A simple remedy made from roots and herbs which brings glorious health to suffering women.

Miss Annette McGuire, of [illegible] Hills, Cincinnati, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Beebe, [illegible] Fifth street.

William Sowers, who is [illegible] typhoid fever, is getting much better.

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In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office [illegible] East Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Dixon's Mills Visitor

Louis Scuhler, of Dixon's Mills, was in the city on business Monday.

Was In Columbus

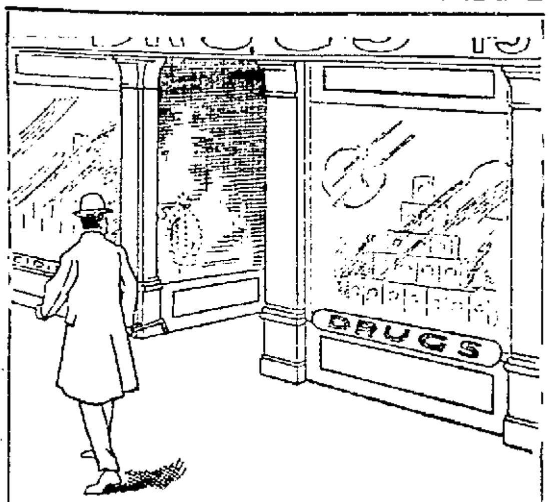
[illegible] W. A. Elias [illegible] in Columbus Monday in the interest of the N. & W. railway.

Tingler Loses Horse

[illegible] George Tingler, of [illegible] Ky., died Sunday of [illegible] Some weeks ago he lost a fine [illegible]

Leonard Schwartz, was seriously hurt in a fall at the St. John's Hotel a few days ago, is reported slowly improving.

Mrs. A. T. Martin, of [illegible] street, is seriously ill with [illegible] pneumonia.



If Coffee Were Sold In Drug Shops

Just as the coffee drug, caffeine, is sold, would you buy it? Wouldn't it bring home to you very forcibly, the fact that coffee is not a food but a drug?

Caffeine is a cause of indigestion, heart trouble, nervousness, constipation and kindred ills. Some persons are strong enough to drink coffee without immediate harm, but many others are not.

Anyone can avoid risking health by a change to

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This pure food-drink is made of whole wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses—that's all. It contains nothing harmful or injurious but is, on the contrary, healthful and invigorating.

Postum is sold by Grocers everywhere in two forms—**Regular Postum** which requires boiling, 15c and 25c packages, and **Instant Postum** which is soluble in hot water—made instantly in the cup, 30c and 50c tins.

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Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "Fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

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Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody uses this old, famous recipe, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.

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TWO COASTING ACCIDENTS MAR GREAT WINTER SPORT

Coasting claimed its first victims in Portsmouth, Monday evening, two local young men receiving serious injuries in collisions on Lincoln Hill, while several others sustained minor bruises. Louis B. Schoettle, son of Louis Schoettle, the Eleventh street grocer, had his leg broken right above the ankle, and Carl Monk, son of Riley Monk, of 321 Third street, had the ligaments in his right leg badly torn, in two separate accidents that occurred about 9:30 o'clock.

Young Schoettle was steering a bobsled loaded with seven passengers down the hill, which crashed into a large wagon sled containing twenty-five or thirty young men near the corner of Eleventh and Lincoln streets. The larger sled turned in front of the bobsled suddenly, giving the pilot no chance to avoid the collision, it is claimed. Schoettle was thrown beneath the two sleds, while the other six passengers were hurled some distance away.

None of them was badly injured, however, save Schoettle, who was pinned beneath the wreckage, unable to arise. His friends carried him to his home nearby, where medical attention was summoned. Drs. Jordan and Robe responded, and reduced the fracture, which will keep the young man laid up for several weeks. It is also feared that another bone in his leg is broken, and another examination will be held.

Just a few moments after the accident, Carl Monk and his companions were standing at the bottom of the hill getting ready to start back to the top when a large sled ran into them. Monk, who had been steering, received the full force of the collision, which threw him several feet and knocked him unconscious for a short time. He was carried to the Joseph and Kanouse grocery nearby, where an examination showed no bones were broken. He was removed to his home on Third street in a taxicab. Tuesday morning, it was stated that his injuries consisted of a severely wrenched leg, which will keep him laid up for several days.

Those who were on the sled with Schoettle at the time of the accident included his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Boluss, Howard Gehres, Stewart Ives, and Frank Page. All of them were badly shaken up and slightly bruised.

Lincoln Hill was crowded with in the neighborhood of one thousand merrymakers Monday evening, attracted by the rare sport. Some of the coasters glided from Twenty-second street to Tenth street, a distance of twelve squares, taking both hills on one trip. It was the most enjoyable coasting weather that Portsmouth has enjoyed in years, and every one who could secure a sled was out to take advantage of it.

How French People Cure Stomach Trouble

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this county by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down-town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and can now be had at all leading drug stores. It is sold with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

ODD FELLOWS INITIATE

At the meeting of Scioto Lodge No. 31 I. O. O. F. last evening, Charles Wellman and Cleveland Porter were given the Second Degree. A large number attended and were treated to some innovations in the conferring of the work.

COLD WEATHER CAUSES DELAY

Aside from driving piling for the abutment at the Portsmouth end of the new county bridge which is to span the Scioto river, the A. J. Martin Company is doing but little work on its job on account of cold weather.

Paul Cooper, little boy who was attacked by a dog several days ago and painfully bitten, is getting along nicely at his home on East Eighth street.

Always on the job. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

SUGGESTS NAMES

Ed. Times:—In naming those nine new streets in the cemetery, I have the following suggestion: Why not name two of them for two old citizens that have always had Portsmouth's welfare at heart, Dr. P. J. Kline and Mr. T. M. Patterson? Would not Laurel avenue be a good name for another? It is not everyone that can see the lovely native shrub growing as we find it on the beautiful Kentucky hills.

READER.

Hon. Thos. J. Cogan Will Be Speaker

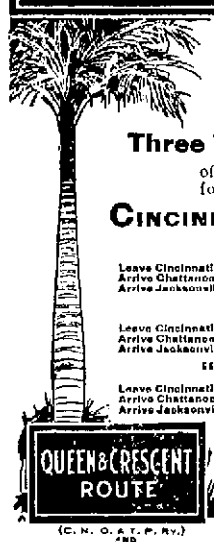
Hon. Thomas J. Cogan, of Cincinnati, Past Grand Worthy President of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be the principal speaker at the "Get Together" banquet to be held by River City Aerie at its lodge hall, corner of Sixth and Chillicothe streets, February 4th. Mr. Cogan's fame as an able lawyer and eloquent orator is nation wide, and his presence will undoubtedly insure the attendance of every Eagle in Portsmouth, since he has ever been one of the staunchest advocates of the fraternity.

Each member on Tuesday received a personal invitation to attend the banquet from the chairman, Dr. Joseph Lake, together with a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the Grand Aerie, and a return card to donate whether or not he would be present at the big spread.

River City Aerie is entering upon the twelfth year of its prosperous existence, and the banquet is calculated to arouse renewed interest and enthusiasm among the membership for the coming year.

Mr. Cogan's coming to Portsmouth will be hailed with delight by his legion of admirers in this city. Besides holding the highest office in the gift of the Eagles in this country, he was prominently spoken of last year as a candidate for Grand Exalted Ruler of the B. P. O. E., of which order he is a Past Exalted Ruler, Cincinnati Lodge.

FLORIDA



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Arrive Chattanooga (Queen & Crescent Route) 6.15 p m (Same Day)
Arrive Jacksonville (Southern Railway) 9.20 a m (Next Day)

"FLORIDA SPECIAL"
Leave Cincinnati (Queen & Crescent Route) 8.10 p m (Daily)
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Consulted Specialist

Dr. and Mrs. William Seitz, of 1808 Eleventh street, have returned from Cincinnati, where they have been consulting a specialist regarding Mrs. Seitz's condition. It developed that she was not suffering with a malignant disease as was feared.

PUBLIC SALE

Monday, February 1st, 10:00 o'clock, 5 horses, 2 cows, 2 wagons, 1 express, 1 buggy, farm tools, corn, hay, chickens, and other things too numerous to mention.

HENRY COLE,
Jan 25-4t Frost, Ky.

To The Works

Police Clerk Dennis Coriell left early Monday morning for Cincinnati with John and Frank Tinsley, colored, who will serve a month in the work house there for stealing coal from the N. & W.

Call The Inter State when you want a taxi cab. New cab now ready for service. adv 15-14

The Vassar

Ladies if you want the very newest city boot don't overlook the Vassar.

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Lew Ditty, a Gallia street cafe owner, received a distress call from a patron in West Virginia Monday. "That gallon got here all right, but it's in the depot and they won't give it to me," said the voice at the other end of the line. "Sorry, pards, but I don't see what I can do for you," replied Ditty, who will not lose his money on the transaction as the express company had accepted the package from him just prior to the new order prohibiting the shipment of liquor into that state. Other local dealers who have had a big mail order business with points in West Virginia, also report similar experiences, the sudden enforcement of the law having taken many unawares.

Rev. Albert Marting Talks On 'God's Poem'

"God's Poem" was the title given in a sermon which Rev. Albert T. Marting, pastor of the Fourth Street M. E. church, preached Sunday morning to an interested audience. Ephesians 2:10 was the text of his remarks: "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them." Rev. Marting said in part:

"I must thank the venerable Dr. Wm. F. Warren, one of my beloved professors, for calling my attention to the peculiar phrase that Paul uses in this verse. You know that words will not describe God, nor can one who has felt the magic touch of God in his life find words to describe the transformation that has taken place. That is the reason why men use the picture, the illustration, in order the better to tell what God is to man, and man to God. One holy writer speaks of the Potter and the clay, another tells us we are to be God's building, more specifically the temple of the Master architect. Again we hear that we are the husbandry, the plantation of God. But no translator has ever ventured to tell us exactly what Paul said in Ephesians 2:10. Yes, we are His workmanship, His masterpiece, but what kind? Did you ever know that God is a poet? Paul said: We are His poem. Let us then see what light this beautiful thought will throw on us, the poem, and on God, humanity's poet.

What is a poem? Something not prose, something that has a rhythm to it, and rhymes occasionally? Not necessarily. Some compositions that rhyme now and then are far from being poetry. You have read that kind and laughed at the attempt. Then there are some compositions that are prose in form, but poetry in spite of it. A poem is a form of personal self-expression. When within there is a thought that must come forth, and as it comes naturally and without compulsion, assumes the form of poetry, that is a poem. So God longed to manifest Himself in some way and found a means of expressing Himself as He would, only in the creation of man, made in His image, the masterpoem of God. That presupposed a knowledge of the laws of poetry; it proved a poet's heart and mind; it proved the mastery of all upon which that poem must stand or fall. God stands behind His creation, man, and takes all responsibility for his being in the world, yea, He creates the world in which he is to be, the creature over which he is to rule, the laws which are to govern his action, the universe in which man is to stand supreme like the Thanatopsis of a Bryant, the master-piece, the master poem of God.

Poetry often says one thing and means another. That is the very nature of poetry. It says the commonplace and means the extraordinary. Think of the poem, "Rock of Ages Cleft For Me," without a knowledge of the Christ to whom it refers. It still says something, but not all that which its author meant. Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar" is another example. Is God trying to say something through us that is beyond the common-place of everyday life. Is not the material to tell of the spiritual? Are not the common and momentary things of life to bring us the message of the eternal? Ought we not the more to ask ourselves in sorrow and in joy: What is God trying to tell me?

But how, you ask, is the mind of God made intelligible. How can we decipher the message? By learning its code. By learning to think and feel with God. Some folks don't like Browning. Why? They can't appreciate him because they have never taken time to get down close and read his mind. Someone says: Choose that musical production which sounds the least like true harmony and call it Bach and you are right. But the musician says: Listen closely, count the heart beat, sound the depth, and Bach becomes the most beautiful melody. Just so with God. We must take time to discern His will, to study His mind, to plunge into His grace, to feel the touch of His love, and then we will read His poetry the better.

God is a poet; that says more than that. He is a potter. Some potters mould the same old clay in the same old way, day in, day out. Not so with God. He is like the Rookwood pottery, which boasts that its workmen are true artists and never make two pieces alike. God can give an individual touch to everyone, and the individuality is to remain. Yet all are to conform to His image and be a revelation of Himself to the world.

But God is more than an inventive poet. He is a writer of tragedy. The best of literature is the tragedy, and God's poem is not below the best. It tells us the story of sin, but it tells us, too, of the heart-break of God, the death of Christ on Calvary. Ask no more why sorrow, why sickness, why death? God is writing poetry, and it is to be the best and lead us to the very heart of God.

We are His poem. God is writing today. His meaning may not always be plain, but it will be when we have learned to think as He thinks. He wants to write something worth while in your life and mine. Give Him an opportunity, and some day He will grant us all the privilege of reading His masterpoem intelligently, when we shall know as we are known.

Ferry Is Running

Henry Ruel's county ferry boat resumed its regular service at the mouth of the Scioto river Monday morning.

Won a Pig

Miss Norma M. Petry, of No. 1508 Third street, won the live pig at the Country Store show held in the Sun theater a few nights ago and has since been the victim of much good natured "joshing" by her friends.

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Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

LATEST IN SPORTDOM

Play House Kids And Malavazos Kandy Kids Winners At Bowling

Standing of the Teams

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Kandy Kids	33	19	14	586
Wilson's Five	33	19	14	586
Times Specials	33	17	16	515
Play House Kids ..	33	11	22	333

Averages of ten leading players Just night's games not included:

Name	Games	Ave.
C. Walters	30	180
B. Prediger	30	176
F. Sheridan	30	168
J. Distel	28	163
R. Mansfield	28	163
J. Wanless	30	161
F. Spencer	29	161
E. Benjamin	21	160
L. Howard	17	160
C. Wilson	30	158

High Team Score

Wilson's Five 2734
Single game:
Wilson's Five 1026
High individual score:
C. Walters 278
High individual total 3 games:
C. Walters 617

Despite the fact that Malavazos Kandy Kids won two out of three from Wilson's Five at the Play House alleys, Monday evening, the two teams are still tied for first place, and the race in the Peerless league is still so close that any one of the three teams can cop first place by winning three in a row the next session. The Play House Kids, the lowly tailenders, who have been kicked and cuffed with considerable regularity, rammed the Times Specials three in a row, winning handily because of the great work of their captain, Byron Prediger, who had a wonderful night, gathering 231 for his sandwich game, starting out with 196. He drove into some tough luck in his last game, when he rolled but 145, which kept him out of the 600 class. However, he was so elated over his team winning that he cared not. The Times Specials were considerably off form, holding their opponents too cheaply or something to that effect.

Poor scores were made on the whole, but three of the totals being in the 800 class. Bud Walters was high man for Wilson's Five, but he is not at all elated over his work, several errors creeping in, something usually foreign to the work of this classy workman. However he was high man for his team, closely followed by Mansfield. Smith, Benjamin and Malavazos were the boss rollers for the Malavazos Kandy Kids, Benjamin getting 207 in his second game. Splits were frequent, errors plentiful and after all is said and done, a little more practice is needed by most all the players.

The scores:

Play House—			
Cranston	154	...	183
Dodge	161	154	154
Smith	186	119	...
Campbell	168	131	160
Prediger	196	231	145
Mantel	...	143	143
Totals	865	778	788
Times Specials—			
Spencer	163	146	154
Horr	157	149	161
Bycott	143	94	142
Wilhelm	144	157	146
Sheridan	145	156	165
Totals	752	702	768
Kandy Kids—			
Smith	155	173	178
Benjamin	151	207	154
Doherty	152	143	152
Malavazos	160	188	161
Wanless	144	156	145
Totals	762	867	790
Wilson's Five—			
Walters	176	158	182
Mansfield	143	167	187
Jefford	153	152	137
Creveling	156	143	147
Wilson	125	168	156
Totals	753	788	841

Get Box of Oranges

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Pressler, of 1020 Gay street, are in receipt of a box of fine oranges sent to them by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clemens, of this city, who are now in Jacksonville, Florida.

WILL DIVIDE THE ATHLETICS

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—The Philadelphia Athletics will not have a strictly Yanigan team in their spring practice this year, but will have two nines, one of which will be built around Third Baseman Baker and First Baseman McInnis, and the other team will have for its nucleus Shortstop Barry and Second Baseman Lajoie. Connie Mack's squad will go to Jacksonville, Fla., the training ground, by water and is due there March 1.

The Baker-McInnis combination will play the Chicago Nationals at Tampa March 9, 10 and 11; the Philadelphia Nationals at St. Petersburg March 12 and 13; Louisville at Lakeland March 15 and 16; Chicago Nationals at Jacksonville March 17, 18 and 19; Jacksonville club at Jacksonville March 26, and 27.

THE BATTLER WON'T QUIT

(New York American)

Oscar Matthew (Battling Nelson) simply will not hearken to reason. For over two years the once Durable Dane has been informed that he is no longer "there" as a ring star, but the mayor of Hegewisch believes otherwise, and is quite ready to prove it with a practical demonstration.

For over a year Nelson has smothered within him the desire for battle. But the spark was fanned into a flame when, last week, he acted as chief second to Leach Cross in his bout with Young Shugrue.

Nelson actually fought a battle by himself while directing Cross' plan of campaign. The old battler thought he was in all his glory once more; that he was still the world's lightweight champion, and that the plaudits were all for him. It was a strongly reminiscent scene when Bat went into the corner occupied by Cross.

It revived memories of a Thanksgiving afternoon two years ago, when the same Cross administered an unmerciful beating to the venerable fighting machine, Battling Nelson. Now they are the closest of friends.

BEGINNING TO WORRY

Minor league ball players throughout the country are beginning to worry about their jobs. It looks like a number of the smaller league will not attempt to weather the storm this season, but will wait until the fans are in better shape financially to attend the games.

Two Fast Lads

Now there is talk of matching Mike Gibbons and Packey McFarland. If these whirlwinds of the ring ever get into the roped arena it should be some fight as they undoubtedly are the classiest mit artists in the game today.

"TO KEEP "FALKY"

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 26.—"There is absolutely no truth in the report that Fred Falkenberg will be transferred to the Brooklyn team of the Federal League," said W. H. Watkins, business manager of the Indianapolis Federal League club today.

Havanna To See Boxing

Havana is destined to be the Mecca of the boxing world because the City Council of that out but enterprising city has given its official sanction to the manly art to the extent of ceding one of its most beautiful parks in the center of the city for the erecting of an amphitheater where 20,000 persons at a time may have the opportunity of viewing the championship bouts which are planned to be staged there this winter.

Takes Slap At Braves

Tom Clarke says he is satisfied to play in Cincinnati and will not stand for a trade that will send him to the Boston Braves. So there.

HE HEADS WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION

George R. Balch.

George R. Balch, has just been chosen president of the Western Golf association. He hails from Cincinnati.

Big Mill Is Go

The Jack Johnson-Jess Willard battle for the heavyweight championship of the world will be soon a reality. The doubtful stage has been passed, for during the past week all details were completed, and the machinery set in motion for the probable transfer of the title from Ethiopian to Caucasian.

The date definitely decided upon is Saturday afternoon, March 6; the place, Juarez—not the bull ring, but the race tracy— and the distance, forty rounds. The herculean Willard sincerely believes that he will relieve Johnson of all championship responsibility on the aforesaid date.

Should Be Great Fight

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, and Kid Williams, bantam champion, have been matched to box six rounds before the Olympia A. C. on February 22. Kilbane agreed to make 122 pounds ringside.

Jack Hanlon obtained the match by offering a purse of $6,000, with a privilege of 30 per cent of the gross.

Richmond In New League

Richmond, Va., Jan. 26.—Transfer of the Richmond territory from the Virginia Baseball league to the International league was effected today. Local business men paid J. O. Boatwright, Virginia League President, $12,500 for the territory right.

In Cincinnati

Labban Carpenter, who is employed as a pharmacist in the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, is in Cincinnati on a short business trip.

Methods Used To Preserve Song Birds And Game Locally

Editor Times:

Knowing the desire of all farmers, hunters and sportsmen to preserve as far as possible our song and game birds, and to that end to kill off the hawks and owls, I thought you might publish in your paper the methods which we have been employing for that purpose.

Since about the first of December on Judge Bannon's farm there have been caught two large hawks, two large owls, five medium sized hawks, about twelve small hawks and about twelve small owls. The exact number of these latter we have not kept. One of the small owls had a woodpecker in his claws when he lit on the trap. All were caught in steel traps set on top of stakes or posts set firmly in the ground and about six feet or more above the surface. The tops of the stakes must not be larger than can be practically covered by the open trap, and the trap must be of the small [illegible] trap variety, without a handle or spring extending to one side; otherwise, the bird will have a place to light without springing the trap, and once he springs it without getting caught he will never come near one again. We have kept six traps set at places in the fields where [illegible] it of hunting. [illegible] tion of some covey of quail and of several [illegible] ridges which were raised there last fall. The steel trap we used is a No. 1 Oneida Community Trap, and was bought at the Hibbs Hardware Company, but any trap which can be worked in this way will serve the purpose. Stakes can be set out over a farm in localities used by the hawks and owls and so that the stakes can be seen from the farm house or some other convenient vantage point, without making it necessary to visit them every day, and, if the end of the chain, attached to the steel trap, is fastened within about three or four inches of the top of the stake, the hawk when caught can be seen dangling from the chain for quite a distance. Bait is not necessary, but advantageous sometimes.

If the sportsmen and farmers in this county will give this scheme a little attention at this time of year, it will work wonders in the destruction of the hawks and owls, for they hatch out their young in February and March. That is a provision of nature, so arranged that the young hawks and owls will be large enough to support themselves by preying on the young of other birds which hatch out later in the spring. I am satisfied that if the boys who like to hunt and preserve the birds will [illegible] as we have [illegible] it will do more [illegible] and increase of our game and song birds than [illegible] one [illegible]

Yours truly,
ARTHUR H. BANNON.

Has Leased Tract

[illegible] has leased his tract of eight acres of land on [illegible] street to T. J. Roberts for one year. Mr. Roberts will farm the ground.

Resumes Road Work

Frank Kelly, formerly of this city, resumed his trip Monday for the R. W. Jenkins Company, cigar manufacturerers of Pittsburg, after a brief visit with local relatives. He will return the latter part of the week to accompany home his wife and daughter, who are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Distelrath.

Boy Placed In Home

City authorities have been advised by Mrs. L. M. Spencer, chief probation officer of Clermont county, that she has placed Roby Albert, a runaway boy from Portsmouth, in a country home there and that he is exceedingly well pleased and is giving satisfaction. The boy claims he left home with the consent of his mother.

McDermott Visitor

Joseph Hille, of McDermott, was a business visitor in Portsmouth Monday.

UNABLE TO GIVE BOND

James Calvert, a farmer of Adams county, returned home Monday evening after an unsuccessful attempt to secure the release on bond of his brother, Kenneth Calvert, a prisoner in the county jail awaiting examination by the grand jury on a charge of robbing a fellow Adams countian, James L. Ladd, in this city last December.

Ladd owns a farm in Adams county worth about $2,000, but has no real estate in Scioto county. Local authorities refused to accept a bond unless it was signed by some one owning property in this county, and his brother was unable to get the proper security.

FUGITIVE IS WANTED

The police received a message from the Clinton county authorities Monday asking them to keep a lookout for Frank Hughes, aged 42 years, of Wilmington, wanted for the alleged murder of Aaron Biggs, Saturday night.

Morgan In Bad

"Blinky" Morgan squatted down in a corner chair of the ante-room at police headquarters Monday to await his turn to see the mayor. He soon had drawn a big circle of tobacco juice around his chair. Chief McCarty, discovering what he had done, severely reprimanded him and Turnkey Joe Stokely compelled the man to mop the floor. He got so excited he forgot that he wanted to see the mayor and "beat it."

Family Hospital

John Reeg, a veteran employee of the Tracy Shoe company, has a veritable hospital at his home on New Sixth street. All of his children are ill and suffering with various kinds of ailments.

Home From West Virginia

Charles Lewis, local manager of the Home Loan Company, has returned from a trip through West Virginia in the interests of his firm and will remain here for the next ten days, looking after his local work.

Returns From East

William Abrahams, the little German tailor, of Sixth street, has just returned from an eight days' business trip through the east.

Here On Visit

Will Tieman, of Lower Nile, is visiting his father-in-law, M. Shively, of Madison street.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed by the undersigned in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for authority to sell for the sum of Forty-Five Hundred Dollars ($4500.00), the following described real estate:

Situate in the City of Portsmouth, County of Scioto, and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Being in Fractional Sections Fifteen (15) and Twenty (20), Township One (1), Range Twenty-one (21), (formerly in Clay Township) and being that part of the second tract of land mentioned in a deed from W. A. Harper and wife to John W. Overturf, trustee, recorded in Volume 47, page 573, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, described as follows:

Beginning at a stake one hundred and twenty (120) feet south of a stone which is the southwest corner of Lot Number Eight (8) in the W. D. Horr Addition, and in the east line of Kendall Avenue; thence southerly with said east line of Kendall Avenue, Forty-five (45) feet to a stake; thence east and at right angles to the east line of Kendall Avenue one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet more or less to a stake in lands of Mary E. Royse; thence northerly and parallel with the east line of Kendall Avenue ten (10) feet; thence west fifteen (15) feet more or less to a point, the southeast corner of tract of land described in deed from John Sowers and wife to the Trustees of The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church recorded in Volume 101, page 37, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds; thence northerly parallel with the east line of Kendall Avenue, and along the east line of the tract of land described in last mentioned deed and along the west line of an alley dedicated or to be dedicated by Mary E. Royse, thirty-five (35) feet; thence west one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the place of beginning, together with and including right to the use for alley purposes of a strip fifteen (15) feet wide immediately east of the north thirty-five (35) feet of said premises; and subject to the use for alley purpose of a strip fifteen (15) feet in width across the rear or east end of the south ten (10) feet of said premises, said premises being the same acquired by the trustees of The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church by two deeds, one from John Sowers and wife dated October 10th, 1911, recorded in Volume 1[illegible], page [illegible], Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds; and the other from Mary E. Royse and husband dated August 5th, 1912, recorded in Volume 101, page [illegible], Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds.

The title to said real estate is vested in Jenkin Davis, John Buckley, and Fred Arrigoni, as Trustees of and for The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Said petition will be for hearing on and after February [illegible], 1915.

JENKIN DAVIS.
JOHN BUCKLEY.
FRED ARRIGONI.
Trustees of and for The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church of Portsmouth, Ohio.
William J. Meyers, Attorney. [illegible]

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4 full qts. Mellow Horn $3.00
4 full qts. Rock and Rye $2.40
4 full qts. Peach and Honey $2.40
4 full qts. XX Gin $2.00
4 full qts. XXXX Gin $3.00
4 full qts. Kuemmel Whiskey $2.00
4 full qts. Mercantile Rye $4.00
4 full qts. Private Stock Bourbon $4.00
4 full qts. Macks Old Tar Bourbon $4.00
4 full qts. Old Time Bourbon $4.00
4 full qts. Lime Stone Bourbon $4.00
4 full qts. Elk Run Bourbon $4.00
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FAULKNER DISCUSSES AFFAIRS OF G. O. P.

The Hon. James W. Faulkner in Sunday's Enquirer of local interest said:

"Tripping along through the secular newspapers in the territory once embraced in the old Tenth, or Red Pepper District, is a very nicely written piece setting forth the claims that the United States Senatorship has frowned upon the worthy person of Hon. Every Victorious Legion. Editors are copying it at lib., as we say in the drugstores of Ohio, and giving it a prominent place so as to hit the eye of their political subscribers.

"It is a little early yet to say whether this thing is accidental or designed. Some have charged it up to the fiendish desire of Hon. Sherman Eagle, unyielding Bull Mooser, of Gallipolis, to sprinkle cow-itch in the sitting room. But Mr. Eagle, being a Progressive, wouldn't be interested in who the 'moribund Republican party' proposes to name for Senator, and that is sufficient to raise a doubt as to his guilt.

"It should be mentioned, though, that there are two persons who seem to take it seriously, General Charles Dick and Captain Ralph D. Cole. The rumor has reached this parellel of latitude that the General, tickled by the generous response to his overture toward candidacy on inauguration day, is thinking of giving out a formal statement and admitting in complete fashion that he wants the job. It is understood that his heart bleeds for the workingman, which is always a good sign that a fellow is about to run for a job.

"Captain Cole's hat was never taken out of the ring, even if he walked on last year, but he'd rather not go up against a three-ringed circus as he did in 1914. He could lick Dick or Jones, his friends say, singly, but properly fears getting whip-sawed between them. This week the Captain nailed a pestiferous attempt to make him look like a Belgian sufferer ready for any kind of alms. He denied, both here and from Findlay, that he was seeking the job of Director General of the Ohio show at the Panama Exposition. As far as he is concerned the true Democrat who wants it can take it or Colonel Daniel Torpy, who now holds it, can keep on holding it. Cole's platform is: 'Senator, Governor or nothing! E pluribus unum!'"

SINGING INSTRUCTOR AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS AN EXPERT

Prof. Theo. E. Fitz, of New York City, who has been employed to give a course of singing to the choir members for five weeks, beginning February 15, will next week go to Dunkirk, New York, for two weeks and then return to Portsmouth for five weeks. He is a man of high faculties, with a wide and varied experience in teaching singing and other subjects allied with music education. One of Mr. Fitz's most successful pupils is Edmund Makalif, of the Century Opera Company, New York. He has studied with the leading singing teachers of New York City and is moreover, authority on many things concerning the training of the voice, and is recognized by the best and most conservative voice specialists of New York City.

On Saturday evening Prof. Fitz entertained the choir at the church, climaxing a splendid evening's enjoyment with refreshments. About fifty of the members were present and a delightful time was had by all. Songs were sung, reminiscences were told. Prof. Fitz made a splendid address along musical lines and was warmly felicitated at the close.

PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

A choir of sixty voices will render two hymn anthems and assist in the congregational singing at the First Christian church tonight.

Mr. J. N. Davis and T. E. Edwards will sing a duet entitled "God is Our Refuge" by Rutland, Mrs. B. F. Kimble and Mr. Fitz will each sing a solo.

Mrs. Alan G. Simpson will be at the piano in the special numbers.

Sermon by Crayton S. Brooks on "Sour Grapes."

Fine Audience At Christian Church

A fine audience enjoyed the services at the First Christian church revival last evening. The general theme of the service was "Prayer." Miss Margaret Quinn and Mrs. Billy Southworth sang "Unanswered Yet." Prof. Fitz sang "Teach Me to Pray." Mr. Brooks preached on prayer as a foundation of personal evangelism. The chorus did excellent work.

The musical program for this evening is attractive. Mrs. Kimble will sing a solo. Messrs. Davis and Edwards will sing a duet. The chorus choir of sixty voices will sing two hymn-anthems. Prof. Fitz will give one of his great sermon songs. He is asking for a large juvenile chorus for this evening. Seats will be reserved for them. He will meet the young chorus at the church for special training directly after school. He was pleased to learn by today's mail that he is offered the position of director of music in one of the greatest churches in Los Angeles at a thousand dollars a year. He can not accept it for the reason that he has only recently accepted the office of director of music of the Scudder School in New York City, to begin Sept. 1st.

In addition to the usual numbers, Miss Bertha Staiger will sing Wednesday evening.

The sermon tonight will be concerning "Sour Grapes". It will be a discussion of ancestral and personal sins.

School Ruling

The Board of Education of Porter township has agreed to admit children who will become six years old between January 1, 1915, and the close of the term of school beginning the first week in February. Under this ruling an increased enrollment in the primary grade of the Scioto ville school is looked for.

Carload of Buggies

David Stabler, hardware dealer, received a car load of buggies Monday.

Refuse Liquor Shipments

The local N. & W. offices have just received an order not to accept any further liquor shipments for West Virginia points, but the local B. & O. S. W. officials have not as yet heard from their superiors on the subject.

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Royal Society Package Outfits

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We can but show a few of the styles here, but a visit to our art section will enable you to have choice of a great array of waists, gowns, corset covers, camisoles, basque combinations, drawers, children's dresses, bibs, caps, dressing sacques, aprons, doll outfits, carriage robes, linen sets, etc., all at very reasonable prices.

389—Lawn Dressing Sacque 50c
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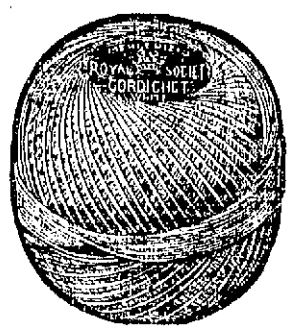

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The stockholders elected the following directors: E. B. Appel, Chas. L. Storck, Harry Johnson, John C. Bauer, J. M. Graham, J. H. Morgan, of Jackson, and J. H. Brant, of Lucasville. The directors then effected an organization as follows: President, E. B. Appel; Vice-President, Charles L. Storck; and Secretary and Treasurer, Harry Johnson.

Since moving into its handsome new building on Sixth street, above Chillicothe, the firm has been doing a splendid business, which is reflected in the need of additional capital stock to carry on the business upon a larger scale.

Red Cross Degree Given

Calvary Commandery, No. 13, Knights Templar, conferred the Red Cross degree upon two candidates, Harold Rhodes and Harley Marconette, Monday evening. An important business session followed the initiatory work.

Not At Havlin

Judge George M. Osborn is not at the Havlin Hotel in Cincinnati as reported, but is at the Dr. C. M. Holmes hospital, there awaiting for it to be determined whether or not he must undergo another surgical operation. He is expected home within a few days.

Adds to Collection

Tom Burt has added some mounted wild animals and some aerial and marine craft in miniature to his already interesting collection at his motor boat agency on Second street.

Head Gashed

Miss Katherine Conley, a local school teacher, fell on an icy sidewalk Monday and badly gashed her forehead. Dr. L. G. Locke was called and dressed the wound so carefully that it is not thought that it will leave a scar.

On Greyhound

John Belger, colored, who for years past has been employed as porter at the Norfolk and Arlington hotels, has just taken a position as cabin boy on the Bay Line packet Greyhound.

Record Crowd At K. Of P. Initiation

By far the largest crowd ever present in the Knights of Pythias hall at Scioto ville was in attendance Monday evening when the Knight rank was conferred on two of the village school instructors, B. T. Reed, superintendent, and J. F. Glandon, principal.

Delegations were present from Oak Hill, South Webster, Wheelersburg and Portsmouth. There were over 50 present from Portsmouth, who had a special car chartered for the occasion. Short talks were made by Loren Yost and J. F. Shela, of the Scioto ville lodge and Max Lehman, Samuel Levi and Edward Heffner, of the city lodges, Magnolia and Massillon lodges being represented.

After the business session an elegant lunch was served. Cigars were then passed around and everyone present enjoyed a splendid time.

ALLEN CHAPEL REVIVAL

The lecture room of the Allen Chapel A. M. E. church came near being crowded to the capacity, notwithstanding the fact that it was Monday night. It seems that the members of the congregation are in earnest to begin another good work for the Master this week. Before the sermon began good singing by the congregation was indulged in. The scripture reading was read by the pastor, Rev. John Irvin. This was followed by a strong powerful prayer by the Rev. Grant Metcalfe. A short address by the Rev. Irvin was followed by a testimony meeting in which many christians had something to say for Christ.

At the close of the testimony meeting the pastor invited all the members to come up around the altar. There were five seekers after Christ and one glorious conversion. A hand shaking in which everybody took part was the end of one of the best and most blessed meetings of the year. The meetings of the week will no doubt be the best held since the meetings have started if the meeting last night is a fair criterion. The members of Allen Chapel should feel very grateful to their pastor as the success of the meetings have depended largely on his efforts and the good citizens of Portsmouth are to be congratulated that the last conference selected this man to be in their midst.

J. H. W.

Vest Pocket Remedy That Quickly Ends Indigestion

Eat What You Please and Never Fear After-Distress.

There is a perfectly safe and sure way for you to eat whatever your stomach craves and do it over again the next day. Many will say, "How I wish I could eat that, but I have tried and every time it nearly kills me."

People get in a condition like this only because they are not taking proper care of their stomach.

Every stomach has a lot of work to perform in digesting the food and if crowded with extra labor it rebels and kicks up a fearful disturbance.

There is a simple, harmless, inexpensive and most effective prescription, easily obtained at any drug store called Mi-o-na that will quickly stop this disturbance. These little vest pocket Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets were especially prepared to regulate out-of-order stomachs. They not only help the overworked digestive organs by increasing the flow of gastric juices, but surely and safely build up and strengthen the stomach walls so that the stomach can care of the food as nature intended.

It's needless for you to suffer with indigestion, heartburn, billiousness, sour, gassy or upset stomach, for Mi-o-na will give prompt and lasting relief every time. Do not delay, but get some of these indigestion ending tablets from Worster Bros., or other leading druggist today. Be sure you get MI-O-NA and accept nothing else, as Mi-o-na is always sold with the understanding that if it does not banish all stomach distress your money will be returned on request.

Leaves On Trip

Charley Mitchell left Tuesday on a business trip to Columbus and points in Eastern Ohio in the interest of the Mitchell Manufacturing Company.

In Florida

Andrew Glass, general manager of the Portsmouth Steel Company's big plant, in New Boston, has gone to Florida on a few day's pleasure trip.

"GREATEST THING IS TO BE RIGHT WITH GOD"

—SAYS REV. T. H. McAFEE.

The revival at the First Baptist church was a most inspiring service, Monday night. The song service was full of vim and rippled with a good, strong note of worship. The pastor spoke on "The Unselfish Question," from the text Acts 9:6. He said in part: "The cry in the text is that of a new-born soul in the joy of a new-found life, and is that of every one who wishes to be a worker and server. The prayer that is frequently heard is one that asks "What shall I get out of this proposition?" Men seldom get to a place to see the Christian life, a privilege, an opportunity to give a life to a great cause. If we are going to do anything for God we must first be right with Him, and this is the first call that Paul hears, "Get right!" Paul wanted to serve, but was not prepared to do so. He was sent into the city to await God's orders. The greatest thing we can do for this community is to be right with God, for all other work depends on this power of a revival. Power over sin; power over self; power over men all depends on being right with God. This getting right with God means being right in heart. The Lord said to Peter, "When thou are converted, strengthen the brethren." If a man is wrong in heart, how can he do right? How can a vessel go a straight course when the helm turned to the right or left? Can we expect the hands on a watch to move precisely when the mainspring is broken? How can a man do the work of God when he is wrong with God? You cannot do anything for men unless you are in tune with God. The man you approach is out of tune with God and so are you and you are as helpless as he. He is wrong with God and so are you. We must know an intense love for men's souls. We know when men are sincere, and we know when they are mechanical in word and deed.

Coming home from Goodland a few months ago a fireman had been killed, and they were taking the body back to Logansport on the same train I was on. Some high school students boarded the train and began to talk of the accident, when one of the girls said, "it is too bad." When the conductor came through he said the man killed was George McKay, the girls knew his boy and girl, who were students in the high school. One of the girls said, "I am so sorry for Joe and Kitty." No one could doubt that she was, for you could feel the wave of sympathy in the atmosphere after she spoke. We must be real!

God only can supply this one need in our life, "my God shall supply all your needs according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus." Mark the words "All Needs." If we need sympathy and love God must supply them. This supply must come through God's chosen channel, it is by "Christ Jesus", the channel must be in He proper place, Christ is the channel. In John 7: 37-39 Jesus declares there is no manifestation until He has His proper place.

When Christ is dethroned from the heart, or home, or church, or pulpit, you have no channel through which God can supply your needs for it is "by Christ Jesus". This supply is granted on our request, 1. John 5: 14-15. When we ask for this we are asking "according to His will and if we ask according to His will we know we have what we ask for." Take it! Take it!

There was a very helpful after meeting. Sermon this evening at 7:15. The subject will be "Light Guarders". All are welcome.

Received Insurance

Recent awards by the State Industrial Commission included two workmen employed in this city, injured while at their employment. T. H. Russell, of New Boston was awarded $11.23 for an injury recently sustained by him while in the employ of the Scioto Fire Brick company of Scioto ville, while the commission also paid a medical bill of $20.

The other award was to Albert Springer, of South Portsmouth, Ky., who was allowed $50.51 for an injury received while empolyed at the Selby Shoe factory in this city. The Commission also paid a medical bill of $26 from the insurance fund.

Offer $100 Reward

The police received a message from Chief Elmer Culbertson, of Dennison, O., Tuesday morning offering a $100 reward for the return of Charles Scanlon, aged 36, who wandered away from his home there January 14. He is said to be absent minded and stupid at times. He was last seen at Mingo Junction.

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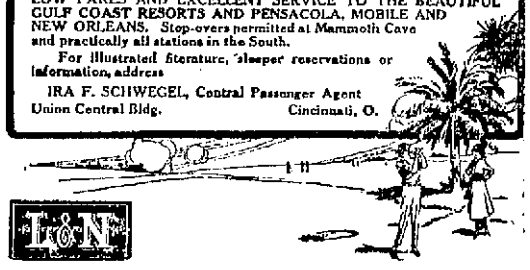

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WARRANT OUT FOR "GUN MAN" IN THE BAUCUS CASE; POLICE HAVE NEW CLUES

Armed with a warrant issued by Mayor Adam Frick, detectives are hot on the trail of the man, who in the opinion of Police Chief W. T. McCarty, actually fired the shot that killed the late James A. Baucus, the night of December 6th.

The man is the same who mysteriously disappeared from the city immediately following the arrest of the other suspects, John Anderson, Oswell Pennington, Jack and Kendall Field. He attended their hearing for chicken and coal stealing in police court then suddenly decamped. Detectives got a line on his movements but he managed to successfully elude them until a day or two ago when they got another clue as to his whereabouts. There are other circumstances surrounding his sudden disappearance, which the police are purposely withholding, that connect him with the crime and which all along have caused them to refer to him as "the fourth man" in the murder mystery.

While weeks have elapsed since the above suspects were bound over to the grand jury without bond and although that body does not convene until next month, the police and detectives have not been idle. They claim to have developed considerable new evidence of importance and while not boasting that they will have sufficient evidence to convict the men, feel positive that they will be able to show that the men now in custody have knowledge of the crime and that they will at least be the means of bringing the murderer to justice.

The officials claim that while Anderson, Pennington and Kendall Field at first claimed to have been in their respective homes at the time Baucus was slain, they later admitted having been in the N. & W. yards, but that they were only picking up coal. The police also have a woman witness who will testify to having seen the three men go down Brewery Hollow together that evening, and a man who will swear having seen Field rush into the Young hotel, where he roomed, through the alley way the same night, and still another man who will tell of meeting Field at the Kendall avenue crossing that same evening. He engaged Field in conversation, telling him he would like to ride a freight train to Columbus, but for the danger of getting "pinched." Field is said to have replied to this by making a gun play, placing his right hand in his coat pocket and holding it forward exclaiming: "Give them something like this and they won't bother you!"

The police also claim to have evidence that Pennington was seen to hurry up a hillside the night of the murder and act as though he was hiding something and also know of a visit one of the men made to another's home early in the morning following the murder only to hasten away a few minutes later.

The "midnight breakfast" of Jack Field the night of the murder, his attempt some days later to tip off the approach of police to his brother Kendall, who was at a Brewery Hollow home, the readiness with which all confessed to stealing coal and chickens, Kendall's expressed desire to go to the penitentiary, saying he might as well go there as to continue out of employment all tend to strengthen the belief of the officers that the coming session of the grand jury is going to prove a mighty interesting affair and that the suspects will find themselves surrounded by such a weave of evidence that it will be hard for themselves to explain.

Say Officers Will Receive "Calling"

The city police officials indicated Tuesday that the four officers detailed to round up Charles Chestnut, the check forger, will be called upon the carpet this evening for allowing outsiders to influence them in not making an arrest.

Chief W. T. McCarty had given the officers instructions to bring the man before the mayor, whether his victims were disposed to prosecute him or not, as it was a state case, and if necessary, he, himself, would prosecute him, he says. The officers started towards Chestnut's boarding place, but were met by Lew Distel, who waved at them to halt and turn back. He assured them he had recovered his money and that he and his employer, Will Gableman, would not appear against him. The officers then were only a square away from Chestnut, but they passed up the case and returned to headquarters. Messages were pouring in there from all parts of the city about other checks Chestnut had forged. A search was made for him, but he had disappeared.

HAS READ TIMES 52 YEARS

George O. Waggard, who is located in Winchester, Ky., writes local friends that he is getting along nicely down in the Blue Grass section of Kentucky. He formerly resided at Wheelersburg and he has been reading The Times for 52 years, and enjoys it every feature of it. Mr. Wiggard writes that he has missed very few issues of The Times since 1863. He is now 93 years old and is hale and hearty.

SCIOTOVILLE TO HAVE A MODERN ICE PLANT

Sciotoville is going to have a modern little ice plant all its own next summer, and it will be installed by Alfred Fowkes, who conducts a butcher shop on Main street of that village.

Mr. Fowkes announced Tuesday that he would soon buy machinery that when installed will give him a ten ton ice plant, something Sciotoville has needed for sometime, to furnish that place with ice during the heated term has always been a big problem.

The new plant will be ready for operation long before the hot weather arrives, it was stated Tuesday. The plant is to be strictly up to date in a mechanical way.

You Should Worry If

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Deal By Duduit

Through a deal closed Tuesday Attorney T. C. Anderson sold his 62-foot strip of ground on Gallia street near Mabert Road to Charley Horr, who will build several houses on the property in the spring. The deal was closed by Merle Duduit.

The time to cure a cold is when it is first taken. Get a bottle of **Allen's Cough Balsam** today and take a few doses promptly and notice how quickly relief comes. Sold for over 50 years. Don't accept a substitute.

WILL TEST RESERVOIR

Engineer George Shute said Tuesday that he expected to give Curtis & Shumway a final test on the reservoir as soon as it was found convenient to fill it.

Pump No. 2 at the city pumping station was tried out again Sunday, after having been adjusted, but failed to work satisfactorily. Neither pump is as yet working to the satisfaction of the city officials, though they manage to keep the city supplied with water.

FOR SALE
Real Estate at Point Pleasant, O.
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RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 26, 1915. (Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood Stage Feet	Height River Ft.	Change since last report	Precipitation in last 24 hours
Franklin	15	2.8 F	-0.4	.02
Greensboro	18	11.1 F	-1.0	00
Pittsburgh	22	6.9 F	-0.6	.01
Wheeling	36	11.8 F	-0.7	00
Zanesville	25	11.5 F	-0.4	00
Parkersb'g	36	15.5 F	-0.3	.01
Charleston	30	8.6 R	-0.9	.02
Pt Pleasant	39	21.2 F	2.0	00
Catlettsb'g	50	27.7 F	2.0	00
Portsmouth	50	29.1 F	-3.1	.05
Cincinnati	50	31.4 F	-2.7	00

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and probably Wednesday. River will fall slowly.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river continues falling [illegible] and rivermen are kept busy [illegible] their craft to prevent [illegible] getting beached. [illegible] Courier [illegible] at 7 a. m.; Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.; [illegible] for Pomeroy at 1 p. m.

[illegible] and Carl Kugelman, of the River City band have [illegible] new clarionet sets of Prof. Jos. Mastropolo.

HEADACHE STOPS, NEURALGIA GONE

Nerve racking, splitting or dull, throbbing headaches yield in just a few moments to Dr. James' Headache Powder which cost only 10 cents a package at any drug store. It's the quickest, surest headache relief in the whole world. Don't suffer! Relieve the agony and distress now! You can. Millions of men and women have found that headache or neuralgia misery is needless. Get what you ask for.

Grain Firm Incorporated

A Columbus dispatch tells of the filing of the incorporation papers of the Grimes-Stritmatter Grain company, of this city. The incorporators are H. S. Grimes, Mrs. H. S. Grimes and Edward Stritmatter. The capital stock is $10,000.

Vulcan Man In Chicago

Adam J. Bach, president of the Vulcan Last company, of this city, left Monday for Chicago on an important business mission.

Alimony Awarded

Lacy Wood, plaintiff in a divorce action recently filed against her husband, Gilbert C. Wood, was awarded $20 temporary alimony in common pleas court Tuesday morning by Judge Thomas. The couple formerly resided in Lucasville, where the husband still lives. Blair and Kimble are attorneys for the plaintiff and Milner, Miller and Searl for the defendants.

Builders Meeting

William Tritschler, W. W. Watsons and John M. Williams left Tuesday for Columbus to attend the national convention of the Builders' Exchange as delegates from the Portsmouth Contractors' Association. They will be gone until Friday.

Investigate Robbery At The Turner Camp

Constable Fahner of Clay township is investigating the robbery of the Louis Turner camp on the Rosemount Road, which occurred last Thursday night. Articles valued at $200 or more are reported missing. The robbery was discovered Friday by the constable, and the extent of the loss determined last Sunday when Turner and Lee and Carl Burkhart visited the place to make an investigation.

No clue is had to the robbers, who are said to have made an attempt to enter the Alvin Cross home nearby the same night. Three chickens were taken from the coop in the rear of the house, the heads of which were found in the camp.

Entrance to the building was gained by forcing open the door with a large rock. Two shot guns, one revolver, thirteen steel fishing rods, 24 army blankets, steel traps three camp cots, dishes, kettles, and household articles.

It is thought that the thieves are the same ones who broke into the Riverside camp on the Ohio river a few weeks ago.

MAD DOG SCARE

McDermott experienced another "mad dog scare" Tuesday morning when a dog belonging to Robert Jones of the village showed symptoms of having the rabies. The dog has been chained in the cellar of the Jones home for several days and had no chance to bite anyone before it was killed.

The body of the dog which ran amuck in the village several days ago was found along the N. & W. tracks Monday, where it had been run over and killed by a train. Its head was cut off and sent to the state board of health at Columbus for examination.

MR. FINNEY GAVE TALK

All enjoyed the splendid address made by Mr. J. H. Finney on the subject, "Organization", at the Pleasant Green Baptist church Sunday at 3 p. m. This address was made in behalf of the Young Men's Bible class, a recently organized class, which promise to do great work for the Master toward the saving of our young men.

Mr. Finney is a very forceful speaker and his address throughout was interesting. Many helpful remarks were made to the class with reference to "Organization". Among other things he said: "Be careful in your selection of officers. A president who is sincere in the work, a secretary who has the work at heart, be on time, welcome those who join the class, the Bible class is an organization for everybody, use those who have influence to work up the class, have the class study their lessons at home.

All were indeed benefited by Mr. Finney's address and hope to have him with us again in the near future.

Claims Forcigners Are Given Jobs

The mayor is in receipt of a letter from a citizen who calls attention to labor conditions at a local brick plant, declaring that fifteen or sixteen unmarried foreigners are working there, while a number of American brickyarders with families are in need of work. He asks the mayor to do what he can to relieve them.

The mayor in reply reminds the citizen that he has repeatedly directed attention to the necessity of providing employment for men of families and trusts that it may have its effect, adding, however, that he assumed no authority over the right to contract. This is to say that the local brick company has the right to engage the person most desired. He advises the writer, though, to have the men of families call at the plant and permit the officials to pass upon them as equally competent as the men referred to and will most certainly have its effect.

"Get Together" Was Evangelists Message

"Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus". Phil. 2:5. Last night at the Christian church in Sciotoville Rev. Rochester Irwin used this text to teach the people how to harmonize all the clashing elements of the religious world, his subject being, "The Law of Christian Harmony."

The evangelist emphasized the need of united sympathetic action by all God's people of all churches and declared it also important that harmony should prevail in the individual congregation. The people of God have wasted too much time and energy quarreling among themselves over questions that are unimportant and unworthy the earnest consideration of men and women with great task to perform.

He urged all Christians to quit bickering over little things that would neither save or damn any man, and with the mind of Christ, to address themselves in a kind tolerant, sympathetic manner to the work of aiding mankind to a better and happier status into this world and to a perfect life in the world to come.

Mrs. Irwin sang very sweetly "Jesus Cares." Rev. Irwin's subject tonight will be "The Backslider." Mrs. Irwin will sing "He Will Hold Me Fast."

Over Night Goes Chest Colds and Sore Throat

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Boy Burned

Painful burns were sustained by Landy Gregg, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gregg, of the Red Row, on Mill street, Sunday afternoon, when his clothes ignited from a piece of burning paper which his five-year-old brother had playfully dropped into his lap. His mother was attracted to the scene by her son's cries, and put out the flames but not until she had received bad burns about the hands. While not serious, the burns are exceedingly painful.

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Pastor Is Dead

The Rev. E. Ainger Powell, pastor of All Saints church, was greatly grieved Tuesday to learn of the death of Rev. Dr. C. E. McKenzie, aged 56, rector of the St. Peter's Episcopal church of Gallipolis. Rev. McKenzie passed away there Monday night. He served as an Archdeacon of the Columbus, O., Episcopal Convocation during 1904 and 1907 and was quite well known in Southern Ohio. He was a graduate of King's College, Windsor, Novia Scotia. He was formerly pastor of St. Mark's church, Cleveland, and St. James' Episcopal church of Zanesville.

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Deal By Fritts

Louis Schoettle on Tuesday sold his five-room cottage on Fourth street to Samuel Greenberg, a Market street merchant. F. H. Fritts, real estate man, closed the deal.

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Girl's Leg Broken

Nellie Games, a 11-year-old pupil at the Bloomhuff school, suffered a broken leg and was otherwise badly bruised while coasting today. The bob-sled, with a number of other scholars on it, got beyond control and refused to obey the steering gear.

To Cure Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected a complete cure after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick tell how they have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear.

Therefore, if you know of some one who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmint (Double Strength), about 75c worth. Take this home, and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmint is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

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GERMANY WON'T BE STARVED OUT

Berlin, Jan. 26—(via wireless to London)—The federal council has put into effect sweeping regulations for the conservation of the food supply as follows:

All stocks of corn, wheat and flour are ordered seized by February 1.

All business transactions in these commodities are forbidden from Jan. 26.

All municipalities are charged with the duty of setting aside suitable supplies of preserved meat.

The owners of corn are ordered to report their stocks immediately, when requisition confiscation at a fixed price will follow.

A government distributing office will be established, distribution being made according to the number of inhabitants.

The Imperial Gazette today publishes the following notice regarding the confiscation of grain:

"There is no doubt that the measures ordered taken cuts much deeper into the economic life of our people than all the other economic regulations hitherto adopted by the federal council during the war.

"It is, however, necessary in order to make certain the sufficient and proper supply of our people with foodstuffs until the next threshing of the new harvest and besides a necessity of life for the government and the nation.

"The steps heretofore taken have proved themselves not far-reaching enough to bring about the sparing use of our limited supplies of bread-stuffs which, however, are in reality sufficient for our needs. In particular the measures hitherto introduced have not prevented the feeding of bread grain to cattle.

"The present order gives us the certainty that our enemies' plan to starve Germany will be upset, as we are assured of plentiful of bread until the next harvest."

Most Severe Measure Of War Situation

London, Jan. 26.—The sweeping regulations for the conservation of the food supply of Germany, including the confiscation of the entire grain crop, is regarded in London as the most significant item of news received today from the countries at war.

Berlin announces officially that this step cuts deeper into the economic life of the German people than any other measure adopted since the outbreak of hostilities and the government defends the regulation on teh ground that in order to upset the predictions of Germany's enemy to starve the empire it is necessary to make certain of a regular supply of foodstuffs until the next harvest.

Big Steel Mills Put 2,000 Men To Work

Pittsburgh, Jan. 26.—More than 200 steelworkers returned to full time employment yesterday, when the mills of the Pittsburgh Steel Co., at Charleroi and Monessen, resumed at full blast, after a lengthy period of depression.

Officials declared they had some foreign orders, but that the plants were insured a good run by domestic business.

Not So Dumb In U. S.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The percentage of illiteracy in certain European countries is much higher than in the United States while other countries of Europe it is considerably low, according to census bureau statistics today.

The percentage of illiteracy in the United States for the total population over 10 years of age is [illegible] per cent; for the native white population three per cent. In Bulgaria the illiteracy percentage is [illegible]; in Greece 70; Hungary 33; Italy 37; Portugal 69; Roumania [illegible]; Russia 69; Servia 79; and Spain 58.

In Denmark, Germany, The Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom the percentage of illiteracy is lower than that for the native white population of this country.

KAISER'S SON STILL ILL

Berlin, (via London,) Jan. 26.—Prince Joachim, the youngest son of Emperor William has been unable to start his convalescent leave as recently planned, as he has been affected with a high fever for several days.

Tingler Loses Horse

Another horse belonging to George Tingler, of Siloam, Ky., died Sunday of forage poisoning. Some weeks ago he had a horse killed by lightning, making three he has suddenly lost since last fall.

BIG FREIGHTER IS SUNK IN COLLISION

New York, Jan. 26—Word was received here today that the steamer Washingtonian, of the American-Hawaiian line, had been rammed by a schooner off Cape Henlopen, and that those aboard the former were being rescued by the Old Dominion liner Hamilton.

The following message was received by the Old Dominion line from Captain Nelson of the Hamilton:

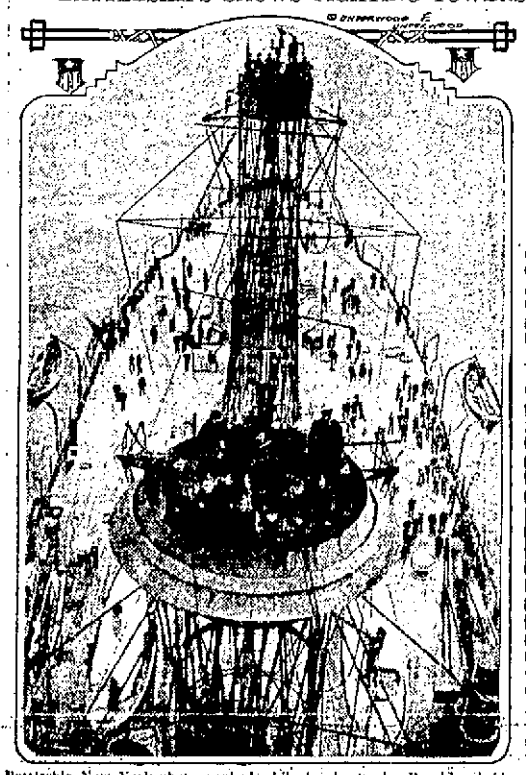
"Standing by Fenwick's Island boat ship to take off ship-wrecked crew of Steamship Washingtonian, rammed by four-masted schooner."

A wireless report received here this morning said that the schooner in collision with the Washingtonian was the Elizabeth Palmer, and that the crews of both the steamer and the schooner had been rescued by the Hamilton.

The Washingtonian is a freighter and carried no passengers, according to officers of the line. Her crew usually consists of 45 men. She plies between San Francisco and New York, by way of the Panama Canal, the trip requiring about 20 days.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 26—A radiogram received at the Norfolk navy yard this morning stated that the Washingtonian had been rammed and sunk and that one person was drowned. It said 38 persons were rescued by light ship No. 72. The remainder of the Washingtonian's crew are believed to have been rescued by the Hamilton.

CLOSE VIEW OF ONE OF UNCLE SAM'S BATTLESHIPS SHOWS FIGHTING TOWERS



Battleship New York photographed while passing under Brooklyn bridge.

This highly interesting picture shows a close view of the fighting tops of one of Uncle Sam's dreadnoughts and reveals in detail the construction of these towers of observation and defense. These masts built of steel, basketwork fashion, are in very high favor with the naval experts of the United States, though foreign authorities disagree as to their value when put to the test in actual battle.

In war time a machine gun might easily be mounted in the tops and would be highly effective for use against torpedo tubes and torpedo boats. Their offensive power is even more valuable. As observation towers and as aids finding the range of the enemy these masts have been found to be very serviceable.

16-INCH GUN OF U. S. OVERTOPS GERMANY'S

Washington, Jan. 26.—Lack of precise ballistic data concerning the new German naval 16-inch gun which has caused so much discussion in England, does not, according to naval experts here today, permit of a close comparison between it and the new American naval gun of the same calibre now under test at Indian Head, Maryland. It appears, however, they think, that whereas the German projectile, with a velocity of 3,040 feet per second, has a slight advantage over the American 16-inch shell in speed, the latter weighing 2,150 pounds is more than 100 pounds heavier than the German shot and consequently will have a gerater striking energy and more penetrative power in steel armor.

This factor of penetration after all, according to leading American naval experts is the prime object instead of range, as is generally supposed. Anyone of the larger calibres of the American naval guns will now hurl its projectile across the sea beyond the range of human vision and nothing of value can be accomplished by shooting farther than they do.

On the other hand, there is grave objection to sacrificing the defensive power and speed of a war vessel to unnecessarily large guns. The maxim of battleships with the smallest and lightest gun that will penetrate at ranges within vision, the heaviest armor that can be carried on the enemy's ship.

THANKS TO U. S. RED CROSS

Washington Jan. 26.—Thanks to the United States from the German Red Cross was expressed in a statement given out today by Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador.

"The central committee of the German Red Cross in Berlin begs to express its most heartfelt thanks to all donors for the extremely liberal gifts which the German Red Cross has received from all the American citizens of German origin," said he. "The central committee will always remember that this high minded and generous spirit has largely contributed toward enabling the German Red Cross to accomplish its enormous task of caring for the sick and wounded and relieving the suffering caused by the present war."

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GERMANS CLAIM BRITISH CRUISER SUNK IN BATTLE

Berlin, Jan. 26.—(By wireless to London)—Additional details of the sinking of a British battle cruiser in the naval fight in the North Sea, west of Helgoland, which is claimed by the Germans, is given in a statement issued here today. The statement follows:

"According to well informed German sources this cruiser suffered heavily from the fire of our cannon and was then sunk by a German torpedo boat by two well directed shots. The sinking was observed by a German airship which followed the battle closely.

"Two English torpedo boats were also sunk. The airship also observed the serious damaging of other English ships."

U. S. SEEKS TO NOURISH AND SUPPORT BELLIGERENT SAYS THE LONDON MORNING POST

London, Jan. 26.—The Morning Post published today an editorial article on the case of the steamer Wilhelmina, the American vessel which left New York Jan. 23 for Germany, carrying a cargo of an American concern. It says that this is a more plausible and more insidious test case than is the experiment with the steamer Dacia, the cotton laden vessel on changed registry still at Galveston and that if it is allowed it will be injurious to the cause of the allies.

The Post contends that neutrality is an affair of the land as well as of the sea and says that in spite of the fact that Belgium is a neutral country Americans would find it impossible to send food into this country through such Belgian ports as are in German hands.

"America is asking us to abrogate the power we gained upon the sea at vast expense," the Post continues, "so that American trade may nourish and support an enemy who is destroying the subjects and the wealth of our allies and our own wealth wherever he can do so."

EVICTION FAILS

Adena, O., Jan. 26.—The first of the eviction cases against striking miners occupying houses owned by the Roby-Somers coal company was tried before Justice of the Peace Allen Stringer here late yesterday and resulted in a verdict for the defendant, Henry Dugio. It required six hours to obtain a jury of six men and the witnesses were interrogated at length by opposing counsel. The hearing on account of the large number of cases and the length of time each is expected to occupy, probably will continue indefinitely. Other eviction trials will come up at Mt. Pelasant today.

GOVERNOR IS WITH WOMEN

Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 26—Governor Hall today declared he would refuse to honor requisition papers for the extradition of women to other states unless the infractions of the law charged are of a major character. "The police of large cities can better employ their time than in running over the country after women wanted on minor charges," he said.

Paul Cooper, little boy who was attacked by a dog several days ago and painfully bitten, is getting along nicely at his home on East Eighth street.

CARRANNZISTA GOVERNOR SHOT

On Board U. S. S. San Diego, Guaymas, Mex., Jan. 25. (By Wireless to San Diego, Cal., Jan. 26.)—General Juan Dozal, the Carranzista governor of Topic, who attempted to escape to the United States was executed at Mazatlan today.

Villa troops now occupy the mining town of Pannco in Sinaloa.

It is reported that the authorities at Mazatlan are commandeering all the horses in that region.

Federal Conciliators Confer With Operators

Cleveland, O., Jan. 26.—Hywell Davies and Daniel J. Keefe, federal conciliators appointed by Secretry of Labor W. B. Wilson to try and bring about a settlement of the strike of 15,000 miners, planned to confer privately with a number of mine owners. Before tonight the conciliators hope to be able to have sufficient information of the operators' side of the strike controversy to enable them to formulate some proposition to be presented to a conference of the operators tomorrow.

OHIO EDITORS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Jan. 26—Matters of first importance to publishers and their allies in the newspaper world were to be discussed at the meeting of the Ohio Associated Dailies, which convened here today in its thirtieth annual session. G. W. C. Perry, of the Chillicothe Gazette, presided.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER

Cleveland, Jan. 26—Harvey J. Callahan, indicted for second degree murder in connection with the death of Thomas Gibbons, who was shot several weeks ago during an altercation between the circulation men of two local morning newspapers, today was acquitted by a jury in common pleas court. Callahan pleaded self-defense.

ANOTHER DEATH RESULTS FROM CRUISER EXPLOSION

On Board U. S. S. San Diego, Guaymas, Mex., Jan. 25.—(By wireless to San Diego, Calif., Jan. 26.)—William H. Miller, a fireman of Downs, Kans., died today from injuries suffered when the San Diego's boiler tubes blew out last Thursday. A few hours before another victim had succumbed.

Miller's death was the seventh from the explosion. Six others were injured.

COLD WEATHER CAUSES DELAY

Aside from driving piling for the abutment at the Portsmouth end of the new county bridge which is to span the Scioto river, the A. J. Martin Company is doing but little work on its job on account of cold weather.

AIR RAIDS FUTILE, SAYS HUDSON MAXIM

Hudson Maxim.

Hudson Maxim, the famous inventor and war expert, declares that the recent German air raid on England demonstrates the impracticability of the Zeppelin as an engine of war. One hundred Zeppelins a day might attack London, and even if successful on each visit could cut down the city's normal growth only a little more than half, says Maxim.

CAN DIE WITH PRAYER ON LIPS

Washington, Jan. 26.—Rapid progress is being made in a movement to supply all soldiers at the battle front in Europe with Bibles, according to a statement made here today by George Fox, secretary of the American Bible Association, which is carrying on the work in co-operation with The World Sunday School Association.

Mr. Fox said that Sunday school children throughout the country are assisting in the movement and already members have completed for forwarding many Bibles. The soldiers of each nation are to be supplied with testaments in their native language, he stated.

Lou Knochel and Carl Kugelman, of the River City band have purchased new clarionet sets of Prof. Jos. Mastronapolo.

WASHINGTON GIRLS WILL FORSAKE SOCIETY AND BECOME WAR NURSES

Miss Nona McAdoo (left) and Miss Katherine Britton as she appeared in Hungarian costume at a recent ball.

Forsaking society and its teas and balls, Miss Katherine Britton and Miss Nona McAdoo, two of the most popular members of Washington's exclusive set, are preparing to become volunteer nurses with the allied forces. They expect to sail for the European war zone about February 8.

LATEST IN SPORTDOM

Play House Kids And Malavazos Kandy Kids Winners At Bowling

Standing of the Teams

Teams.	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Kandy Kids	33	19	14	586
Wilson's Five	33	19	14	586
Times Specials	33	17	16	515
Play House Kids	33	11	22	333

Averages of ten leading players last night's games not included:

Name	Games	Ave.
C. Walters	30	180
B. Prediger	30	176
F. Sheridan	30	168
J. Distel	28	163
R. Mansfield	26	163
J. Wanless	30	161
F. Spencer	29	161
E. Benjamin	21	160
L. Howard	17	160
C. Wilson	30	158

High Team Score

Wilson's Five 2744
Single game:
Wilson's Five 1026
High individual score:
C. Walters 278
High individual total 3 games:
C. Walters 617

Despite the fact that Malavazos Kandy Kids won two out of three from Wilson's Five at the Play House alleys Monday evening, the two teams are still tied for first place, and the race in the Peerless league is still so close that any one of the three teams can cop first place by winning three in a row the next session. The Play House Kids, the lowly tailenders, who have been kicked and cuffed with considerable regularity, rammed the Times Specials three in a row, winning handily because of the great work of their captain, Byron Prediger, who had a wonderful night, gathering 231 for his sandwich game, starting out with 196. He drove into some tough luck in his last game, when he rolled but 145, which kept him out of the 600 class. However, he was so elated over his team winning that he cared not. The Times Specials were considerably off form, holding their opponents too cheaply or something to that effect.

Poor scores were made on the whole, but three of the totals being in the 800 class. Bud Walters was high man for Wilson's Five, but he is not at all elated over his work, several errors creeping in, something usually foreign to the work of this classy workman. However, he was high man for his team, closely followed by Mansfield. Smith, Benjamin and Malavazos were the boss rollers for the Malavazos Kandy Kids, Benjamin getting 207 in his second game. Splits were frequent, errors plentiful and after all is said and done, a little more practice is needed by most all the players.

The scores:

Play House—			
Cranston	154	...	183
Dodge	161	154	154
Smith	186	119	...
Campbell	168	131	160
Prediger	196	231	145
Mantel	...	143	143
Totals	865	778	788
Times Specials—			
Spencer	163	146	154
Herr	157	149	161
Byrott	143	94	142
Wilhelm	144	157	146
Sheridan	145	156	165
Totals	752	702	768
Kandy Kids—			
Smith	155	173	178
Benjamin	151	207	154
Doherty	152	143	152
Malavazos	160	188	161
Wanless	144	156	145
Totals	762	867	790
Wilson's Five—			
Walters	176	158	182
Mansfield	143	167	187
Jefford	153	152	137
Creveling	156	143	147
Wilson	125	168	156
Totals	753	788	801

Get Box of Oranges

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Pressler, of 1020 Gay street, are in receipt of a box of fine oranges sent to them by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clemens, of this city, who are now in Jacksonville, Florida.

WILL DIVIDE THE ATHLETICS

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—The Philadelphia Athletics will not have a strictly Yanigan team in their spring practice this year, but will have two nines, one of which will be built around Third Baseman Baker and First Baseman McInnis, and the other team will have for its nucleus Shortstop Barry and Second Baseman Lajoie. Connie Mack's squad will go to Jacksonville, Fla., the training ground, by water and is due there March 1.

The Baker-McInnis combination will play the Chicago Nationals at Tampa March 9, 10 and 11; the Philadelphia Nationals at St. Petersburg March 12 and 13; Louisville at Lakeland March 15 and 16; Chicago Nationals at Jacksonville March 17, 18 and 19; Jacksonville club at Jacksonville March 26 and 27.

HE HEADS WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION

George R. Balch.

George R. Balch has just been chosen president of the Western Golf association. He hails from Cincinnati.

THE BATTLER WON'T QUIT

(New York American)

Oscar Matthew (Battling Nelson) simply will not hearken to reason. For over two years the once Durable Dane has been informed that he is no longer "there" as a ring star, but the mayor of Hegewisch believes otherwise, and is quite ready to prove it with a practical demonstration.

For over a year Nelson has smothered within him the desire for battle, but the spark was fanned into a flame when, last week, he acted as chief second to Leach Cross in his tilt with Young Shugrue.

Nelson actually fought a battle by himself while directing Cross' plan of campaign. The old battler thought he was in all his glory once more; that he was still the world's lightweight champion, and that the plaudits were all for him. It was a strongly reminiscent scene when Bat went into the corner occupied by Cross.

It revived memories of a Thanksgiving afternoon two years ago, when the same Cross administered an unmerciful beating to the venerable fighting machine, Battling Nelson. Now they are the closest of friends.

Big Mill Is Go

The Jack Johnson-Jess Willard battle for the heavyweight championship of the world will be soon a reality. The doubtful stage has been passed, for during the past week all details were completed, and the machinery set in motion for the probable transfer of the title from Ethiopian to Caucasian.

The date definitely decided upon is Saturday afternoon, March 6; the place, Juarez—not the bull ring, but the race track—and the distance, forty rounds. The herculean Willard sincerely believes that he will relieve Johnson of all championship responsibility on the aforesaid date.

BEGINNING TO WORRY

Minor league ball players throughout the country are beginning to worry about their jobs. It looks like a number of the smaller league will not attempt to weather the storm this season, but will wait until the fans are in better shape financially to attend the games.

Two Fast Lads

Now there is talk of matching Mike Gibbons and Packey McFarland. If these whirlwinds of the ring ever get into the roped arena it should be some fight as they undoubtedly are the classiest mit artists in the game today.

"TO KEEP "TALKY"

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 26.—"There is absolutely no truth in the report that Fred Falkenberg will be transferred to the Brooklyn team of the Federal League," said W. H. Watkins, business manager of the Indianapolis Federal League club today.

Havanna To See Boxing

Havana is destined to be the Mecca of the boxing world because the City Council of that old but enterprising city has given its official sanction to the manly art to the extent of ceding one of its most beautiful parks in the center of the city for the erection of an amphitheater where 20,000 persons at a time may have the opportunity of viewing the championship bouts which are planned to be staged there this winter.

Takes Slap At Braves

Tom Clarke says he is satisfied to play in Cincinnati and will not stand for a trade that will send him to the Boston Braves. [illegible]

Should Be Great Fight

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, and Kid Williams, bantam champion, have been matched to box six rounds before the Olympia A. C. on February 22. Kilbane agreed to make 122 pounds ringside.

Jack Hanlon obtained the match by offering a purse of $6,000, with a privilege of 30 per cent of the gross.

Richmond In New League

Richmond, Va., Jan. 26.—Transfer of the Richmond territory from the Virginia Baseball league to the International league was effected today. Local business men paid J. O. Boatwright, Virginia League President, $12,500 for the territory right.

In Cincinnati

Labban Carpenter, who is employed as a pharmacist in the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, is in Cincinnati on a short business trip.

UNABLE TO GIVE BOND

James Calvert, a farmer of Adams county, returned home Monday evening after an unsuccessful attempt to secure the release on bond of his brother, Kenneth Calvert, a prisoner in the county jail awaiting examination by the grand jury on a charge of robbing a fellow Adams countian, James T. Ladd, in this city last December.

Ladd owns a farm in Adams county worth about $2,000, but has no real estate in Scioto county. Local authorities refused to accept a bond unless it was signed by some one owning property in this county, and his brother was unable to get the proper security.

FUGITIVE IS WANTED

The police received a message from the Clinton county authorities Monday asking them to keep a lookout for Frank Hughes, aged 42 years, of Wilmington, wanted for the alleged murder of Aaron Biggs, Saturday night.

Morgan In Bad

"Blinky" Morgan squatted down in a corner chair of the ante-room at police headquarters Monday to await his turn to see the mayor. He soon had drawn a big circle of tobacco juice around his chair. Chief McCarty, discovering what he had done, severely reprimanded him and Turnkey Joe Stokely compelled the man to mop the floor. He got so excited he forgot that he wanted to see the mayor and "beat it."

Family Hospital

John Rogers, veteran employe of the Tracy Shoe company, has a veritable hospital at his home on New Sixth street. All of his children are ill and suffering with various kinds of ailments.

Home From West Virginia

Charles Lewis, local manager of the Home Loan Company, has returned from a trip through West Virginia in the interests of his firm and will remain here for the next ten days, looking after his local work.

Returns From East

William Abrahams, the little German tailor, of Sixth street, has just returned from an eight days' business trip through the east.

Here On Visit

Will Tieman, of Lower Nile, is visiting his father-in-law, M. Shively, of Madison street.

Methods Used To Preserve Song Birds And Game Locally

Editor Times:

Knowing the desire of all farmers, hunters and sportsmen to preserve as far as possible our song and game birds, and to that end to kill off the hawks and owls, I thought you might publish in your paper the methods which we have been employing for that purpose.

Since about the first of December on Judge Bannon's farm there have been caught two large hawks, two large owls, five medium sized hawks, about twelve small hawks and about twelve small owls. The exact number of these latter we have not kept. One of the small owls had a woodpecker in his claws when he lit on the trap. All were caught in steel traps set on top of stakes or posts set firmly in the ground and about six feet or more above the surface. The tops of the stakes must not be larger than can be practically covered by the open trap, and the trap must be of the small jump trap variety, without a handle or spring extending to one side, otherwise, the bird will have a place to light without springing the trap, and once he springs it without getting caught he will never come near one again. We have kept six traps set at places in the fields where hawks are in the habit of hunting. It is also the location of some coveys of quail and of several flocks of Hungarian partridges which were raised there last fall. The steel trap we used is a No. 1 Oneida Community Trap and was bought at the Gibbs Hardware Company, but any trap which can be worked in this way will serve the purpose. Stakes can be set out over a farm in localities used by the hawks and owls and so that the stakes can be seen from the farm house or some other convenient vantage point, without making it necessary to visit them every day, and, if the end of the chain, attached to the steel trap, is fastened within about three or four inches of the top of the stake, the hawk when caught can be seen dangling from the chain for quite a distance. Bait is not necessary, but advantageous sometimes.

If the sportsmen and farmers in this county will give this scheme a little attention at this time of year, it will work wonders in the destruction of the hawks and owls, for they [illegible] their young in February and March. That is a [illegible] of nature, so arranged that the young hawks and owls will be large enough to support themselves by preying on the young of other birds which hatch out later in the spring. I am satisfied that if the boys who like to hunt and observe the birds will [illegible] as we have done, it will do more toward the protection and increase of our game and song birds than all the laws the Ohio legislature [illegible] and that means something.

Yours truly,
ARTHUR H. BANNON

Has Leased Tract

Attorney Mark Crawford has leased [illegible] of eight acres of [illegible] Kerr [illegible] year. Mr. [illegible] will farm the ground.

Resumes Road Work

Frank Kelly, formerly of this city, resumed his trip Monday for the R. W. Jenkins Company, cigar manufacturers of Pittsburg, after a brief visit with local relatives. He will return the latter part of the week to accompany home his wife and daughter, who are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Distelrath.

Boy Placed In Home

City authorities have been advised by Mrs. L. M. Spencer, chief probation officer of Clermont county, that she has placed Roby Albert, a runaway boy from Portsmouth, in a country home there and that he is exceedingly well pleased and is giving satisfaction. The boy claims he left home with the consent of his mother.

McDermott Visitor

Joseph Odle, of McDermott, was a business visitor in Portsmouth Monday.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed by the undersigned in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for authority to sell for the sum of Forty-Five Hundred Dollars ($4500), the following described real estate:

Situate in the City of Portsmouth, County of Scioto, and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Being in Fractional Sections Fifteen (15) and Twenty (20), Township One (1), Range Twenty-one (21), formerly in Clay Township and being that part of the second tract of land mentioned in a deed from W. A. Harper and wife to John W. Overturf, trustee, recorded in Volume 57, page 553, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, described as follows:

Beginning at a stake one hundred and twenty (120) feet south of a stone which is the southwest corner of lot Number Eight (8) in the W. D. Herr Addition, and in the east line of Kendall Avenue; thence southerly with said east line of Kendall Avenue, Forty-five (45) feet to a stake; thence east and at right angles to the east line of Kendall Avenue one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet more or less to a stake in lands of Mary E. Rowe, thence northerly and parallel with the east line of Kendall Avenue ten (10) feet; thence west fifteen (15) feet more or less to a point, the southeast corner of tract of land described in deed from John Sowers and wife to the Trustees of The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church recorded in Volume 101, page 57, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, thence northerly parallel with the east line of Kendall Avenue, and along the east line of the tract of land described in last mentioned deed and along the west line of an alley dedicated or to be dedicated by Mary E. Rowe, thirty-five (35) feet; thence west one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the place of beginning, together with and including right to the use for alley purposes of a strip fifteen (15) feet wide immediately east of the north thirty-five (35) feet of said premises; and subject to the use for alley purpose of a strip fifteen (15) feet in width across the rear or east end of the south ten (10) feet of said premises; said premises being the same acquired by the trustees of The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church by two deeds, one from John Sowers and wife dated October 18th, 1911, recorded in Volume 101, page 57, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, and the other from Mary E. Rowe and husband dated August 5th, 1912, recorded in Volume 101, page 41, Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds.

The title to said real estate is vested in Junkin Davis, John Buckley, and Fred [illegible], as trustees of said The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Said petition will be for hearing on and after February fourth, 1915.

JUNKIN DAVIS,
JOHN BUCKLEY,
FRED [illegible]

Trustees of and for The Kendall Avenue Baptist Church of Portsmouth, Ohio.
William A. Meyers, Attorney. [illegible]

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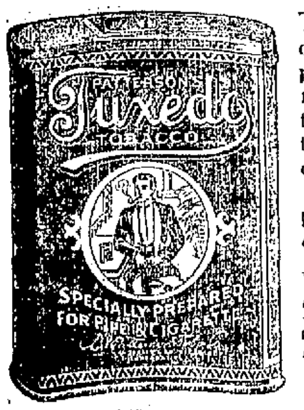

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POLITICAL TREACHERY REWARDED

And so the Honorable D. Staley Creamer is to be taken care of as a reward for his treachery to the Democratic state ticket last fall. He is to be made a member of the state board of administration by Governor Willis, his appointment to date from May 5th next. In the meantime we presume that the Hon. Mr. Creamer will continue to make himself solid with the new administration by working out upon weak-kneed Democratic legislators and trying to get them to join with the Republicans in a general assault upon the laws of the Democratic administrations.

But one need not be surprised at the Hon. D. Staley Creamer. His whole history in politics has been one long-continued story of selfishness and personal ambition. An ambition that did not consider party or friends. He would doubtless have been fighting manfully for Cox if that governor had seen fit to attach the honored name of Creamer to a salary. But failing to land in office Creamer became soured and discontented and readily lent his name and what influence he possessed to the effort to destroy the party that had honored him time and again.

Now, at last, Creamer is out in the open, out where he can be catalogued and tagged. He has joined the small crawd of political buccaneers and pirates and takes his place at the head of the table reserved for those Republico-Democrats whose object is to do all the mischief they can in the Democratic party and aid the Republicans by their votes as well as their acts. A man with regard for the fitness of things would find such position uncongenial. He would come out and join the Republican party straight-out.

But then that would be expecting too much from the Honorable D. Staley Creamer.

HENRY CLEWS ON BUSINESS

Henry Clews, in his weekly review of trade, sees hope for the future. He says that the steel trade is showing more or less improvement, the United States Steel Company now running at 47 per cent of total capacity as compared to 25 per cent in November. Fair orders have been placed for rolling stock and equipment and the present low prices is quite likely to stimulate the demand for construction material. Mr. Clews concludes by saying that there is no occasion for modifying the very hopeful views expressed for several weeks past; in fact, he says, we see no reason why improvement should not continue in the absence of unfavorable developments. Attention is also called to the efforts being made by American manufacturers to build up a larger export trade. He regards the prospects for expansion as very promising.

In December our exports exceeded imports by $131,800,000, but food stuffs and raw materials comprised the bulk of this. There was a large increase in manufactured exports but the larger part of this was war material.

HOW THE TIMES CHANGE

In times agone, the statesmen who wore his pants in his boots and boasted no more than one gallus was considered a genuine champion of the plain people. His appareling in more than one shirt at a time would have spelled his political damnation. But, oh, upon what degenerate days we have fallen.

Over in New York they are investigating one James A. Sullivan, minister to the Republic of San Domingo, for conduct unbecoming a plenipotentiary with powers extraordinary, and the most serious accusation against him is, that one steaming hot morning, hot even from San Dominica, received the embassadors of France and England, with nothing more than an undershirt covering the middle portion of his anatomy and for that he may lose his job. Yea, more than that, if France and England did not have more than their hands full right now, his decided negligee might lead to a serious embroglio with those powers.

BY THE TRAIN LOADS

According to Columbus news any where above a dozen office seekers invaded the town with every train that comes into the town and immediately made a charge on the state house. So great is their number and such their importunity, that Governor Willis has been forced to issue an order that he must have time to take up the reins of public business, so he must no longer be pestered by job hunters. He even goes a bit further than that and lays down the ultimatum that the man who insists on personally presenting his claims for "recognition" will be set down on the black list and there will be nothing coming in his direction.

Thus it ever is. A host of patriots cry rescue for the state, but the minute a victory is won they swarm, gouge and fight over the division of the spoils.

LOOKING OVER THE NEWS.

SHAME ON 'EM

Alarmed at the mundation of foolish bills that is pouring into the legislative mill, and having no fool-killer at command, Republican apologists are setting up the plaint that it is all but a wicked trick of the measley Democrats, who are working the scheme to put the Willis administration in bad.

We are pleased to hear it, not that we believe Democrats could be guilty of such unpatriotic strategy, but it belies the stupid charge these same yawpers are so fond of making, that the Democrats don't know enough to turn a trick at government. Any body of men, who can be suspected of such artifice has got enough ability to make itself both respected and feared and that is the essence of government.

But laying aside partisan jeering, the truth of the matter is the assembly is simply running hog wild. Willis washed his lily white hands of it even before election and with him doing that none other has appeared with strong hand to lay upon and give it direction. This fact is appreciated by the politicians, who are now seeking to work up a junta of party and legislative leaders, who being more or less secretly advised by Willis, will form "a program" of legislation, thus keeping the assembly from running away with itself and all party prospects.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

A real heroine is a woman who can suffer in silence.

Only a foolish man will kick himself when he is down.

Some men have brains but never know when to use them.

Any one could write poetry were it not necessary to make it rhyme.

Success often comes to a man because he has forgotten that he might fail.

A man seldom measured up to your expectations unless measured by the golden rule.

A wise woman refuses to ask her husband to accompany her to church if he talks in his sleep.

Doubtless it is the unexpected that happens because one can never tell what a woman will do.

It doesn't take a woman very long to discover that she drew a blank in the matrimonial lottery, but to her dying day she believes her husband drew a prize.

WHEN THE NINE GET BUSY

One of the pleas advanced by Governor Willis for decentralizing the agricultural department is that it is now controlled by four men at salaries of $5,000 a year each. What does he offer in their stead? Why he would give us nine members named by himself, as it is unlawful for farmers bodies to elect such members, these nine members to serve without salaries, but to have their expenses paid. They are to select a secretary and other officials. But just wait until the expense accounts of the nine members begin to roll in. They may be a little backward the first year but once they get to feeling comfortable located in their chairs, the $20,000 paid to the present commissioners will look like 30 cents, or else the nine men to be named will be nearer angels than the average run of office holders. At the same time the list of employees will not be found to be decreasing. There will be the same old jobs only maybe there will be some new faces.

Now's The Time

Here, you discontented knocker,
Growlin' 'bout the country's ills,
Chloroform your dismal talker;
Take a course of liver pills.
Stop your durn eternal howlin,'
Chaw some sand and get some grit;
Don't sit in the dumps a-growlin'
Smile a few an' boost a bit.

Fall in while the ban's a-playin',
Ketch the step and march along;
'Stead o' pessimistic brayin'
Jine the hallelulah song;
Drop your hammer—do some rootin',
Grab a horn, you cuss, an' split
Every echo with you tootin'
Smile a few an' boost a bit.
—Ray K. Maulton in Akron Beacon-Journal.

But Where Does the Hole in the Doughnut Go?

"Manholes hurled into air."—Chicago Tribune.

MOTHER McGREW AND CAROLINE CROW

I wonder if you ever happened to see
A bird called a crow, sitting up in a tree.
If you ever did, you have noticed, I think,
That its feathers are shiny, and just black as ink.

Now once on a time young Caroline Crow
Had feathers as lovely and white as the snow.
They would have been white, I've no doubt, to this day,
If Caroline Crow had kept them that way.

But she was so careless, she played in the dirt,
And said a soiled feather or two didn't hurt.
The consequence was that she looked like a fright,
All drabbled and black, when she came in at night.

Poor Mother McGrew was quite in despair.
She said, "I've tried everything else, I declare!
So the next time that you soil your pretty white dress,
I'll just make you wear an old black one, I guess."

Young Caroline Crow went on with her play.
And came home more dirty than ever next day.
Then Mother McGrew led her upstairs right quick,
And tapped her three times with her magical stick.

And Caroline's dress that had once been snow white
Was changed all at once to a dress black as night.
And though she pretended that she didn't mind,
And WANTED a black dress, I'm rather inclined

To think that she really was sorry; I guess
That most any crow would prefer a white dress.
And though to this day they are all black, I know
They'd rather be white—you just ask a Crow!

Stick to the Old Way, Girls

An Upper Sandusky editor wants girls to give prompt answers when marriage is proposed. Poor advice. The old way of keeping the boys up in the air awhile is better.

Next We Can Expect the Weeping Wrist

Cousin Levina stopped him on the stairs to rap his linty head with a commiserating knuckle.—Scribner's Magazine.

Good Form Nowadays

Friend—"Whatcha rubbering at up there?"

Man just back from Europe—"Nothing."

Friend—"Well, what's the matter; Spinal meningitis?"

M. J. B. F. E.—"Naw, Zeppelin neck."

Maybe 'Tis Fluffy That Should Let Go

Party holding white poodle dog by name of Fluffy, please let go at once and avoid further trouble. Mrs. A. W. Lewis.—Ad in Geneva Free Press-Times.

No Experiment Station

Marie was a city girl and while spending her vacation in the country a fresh young farmer tried to kiss her and told her he had never kissed a girl in his life. And what did she say to him? She just told him that she was no agricultural experiment station.

Fifty-three Fridays

Fifty-three Fridays will come in '15;
People will call this unlucky, I ween;
Luck is but nonsense, and omens a bore—
If Fridays were pay days we'd like to have more.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Rival of Eta Beta Pi

"Ada Apple."—Card of Kent girl.

Curious Willie

Willie stood on the curb gravely watching an extremely pigeon-toed miss who was walking on the other side of the street.

"I do wish she'd hurry," he said to his mother.

"Why do you wish that?" the mother asked.

"If she runs real fast," said Willie, "I was just wondering if she would pass herself."

Our Ideal Husband Contest

An ideal husband is one who does not quarrel or find fault with his wife.—Mrs. E. R. S.

An ideal husband is one who comes home at a reasonable hour when he goes to lodge.—Mrs. J. D.

An ideal husband is one who goes to church regularly.—Mrs. M. T.

An ideal husband is one who takes a bath once a week whether he needs it or not.—Mrs. S. D.

THE LIVER REGULATES THE BODY—A SLUGGISH LIVER NEEDS CARE

Someone has said that people with Chronic Liver Complaint should be shut up away from humanity, for they are pessimists and see through a "glass darkly." Why? Because mental states depend upon physical states. Biliousness, Headaches, Dizziness and Constipation disappear after using Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c at your druggist.

Buying Corn

A Clermont county man was in the city Monday seeking to purchase a couple of car loads of corn, declaring that there was quite a scarcity in his section.

HER HUSBAND NAMED VICEROY OF IRELAND

Lady Wimborne.

Lady Wimborne's husband, formerly Lord Ashby St. Ledgers, is successor to the Earl of Aberdeen, who has resigned as viceroy of Ireland. Lord Wimborne organized and took to America the British polo team that won and took back the international cup. Lady Wimborne is the daughter of the second Baron Ebury.

Injured Foot

Sam Radcliff, a draughtsman in the city engineering department, slipped on the ice and tore a ligament of his foot at Fourth and Jefferson streets. He is laid up as a result.

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When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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POLLY AND HER PALS

SURE, IT'S POLLY—AND MA SAYS SOMETHING, TOO.

WARRANT OUT FOR "GUN MAN" IN BAUCUS CASE

POLICE CHIEF THINKS ALL DETAILS OF THE MYSTERY CLEARING UP

Armed with a warrant issued by Mayor Adam Frick, detectives are hot on the trail of the man, who in the opinion of Police Chief W. T. McCarty, actually fired the shot that killed the late James A. Baucus, the night of December 6th.

The man is the same who mysteriously disappeared from the city immediately following the arrest of the other suspects, John Anderson, Oswell Pennington, Jack and Kendall Field. He attended their hearing for chicken and coal stealing in police court then suddenly decamped. Detectives got a line on his movements but he managed to successfully elude them until a day or two ago when they got another clue as to his whereabouts. There are other circumstances surrounding his sudden disappearance, which the police are purposely withholding, that connect him with the crime and which all along have caused them to refer to him as "the fourth man" in the murder mystery.

While weeks have elapsed since the above suspects were bound over to the grand jury without bond and although that body does not convene until next month, the police and detectives have not been idle. They claim to have developed considerable new evidence of importance and while not boasting that they will have sufficient evidence to convict the men, feel positive that they will be able to show that the men now in custody have knowledge of the crime and that they will at least be the means of bringing the murderer to justice.

The officials claim that while Anderson, Pennington and Kendall Field at first claimed to have been in their respective homes at the time Baucus was slain, they later admitted having been in the N. & W. yards, but that they were only picking up coal. The police also have a woman witness who will testify to having seen the three men go down Brewery Hollow together that evening, and a man who will swear having seen Field rush into the Young hotel, where he roomed, through the alley way the same night, and still another man who will tell of meeting Field at the Kendall avenue crossing that same evening. He engaged Field in conversation, telling him he would like to ride a freight train to Columbus, but for the danger of getting "pinched." Field is said to have replied to this by making a gun play, placing his right hand in his coat pocket and holding it forward exclaiming: "Give them something like this and they won't bother you!"

The police also claim to have evidence that Pennington was seen to hurry up a hillside the night of the murder and act as though he was hiding something and also know of a visit one of the men made to another's home early in the morning following the murder only to hasten away a few minutes later.

The "midnight breakfast" of Jack Field the night of the murder, his attempt some days later to tip off the approach of police to his brother Kendall, who was at a Brewery Hollow home, the readiness with which all confessed to stealing coal and chickens, Kendall's expressed desire to go to the penitentiary, saying he might as well go there as to continue out of employment all tend to strengthen the belief of the officers that the coming session of the grand jury is going to prove a mighty interesting affair and that the suspects will find themselves surrounded by such a weave of evidence that it will be hard for themselves to explain.

Record Crowd At K. Of P. Initiation

By far the largest crowd ever present in the Knights of Pythias hall at Scioto ville was in attendance Monday evening when the knight rank was conferred on two of the village school instructors, B. W. Reed, superintendent, and J. F. Glandon, principal.

Delegations were present from Oak Hill, South Webster, Wheelersburg and Portsmouth. There were over 50 present from Portsmouth, who had a special car chartered for the occasion. Short talks were made by Loren Yost and J. F. Shelu, of the Scioto ville lodge and Max Lehman, Samuel Levi and Edward Heffner, of the city lodges, Magnolia and Massie lodges being represented.

After the business session an elegant lunch was served. Cigars were then passed around and everyone present enjoyed a splendid time.

Adds to Collection

Tom Burt has added some mounted wild animals and some aerial and marine craft in miniature to his already interesting collection at his motor boat agency on Second street.

HERE'S AN ALMOST PERFECT BABE AND MARGARET WILSON, WHO GIVES IT PRIZE

Mary Louise Kaldenback and Margaret Wilson.

Miss Margaret Wilson, eldest daughter of the president, gave the first prize at the Washington Better Baby contest, of which she is the president, to Mary Louise Kaldenback, eight months old, after [illegible] examination. Miss Wilson, who is seen here holding the prize winner, has been very active in Washington social service and civic improvement projects.

WHOLESALE FORGER HAS METEORIC CAREER; FINDS MANY VICTIMS BUT LAW QUICKLY CLUTCHES HIM

One of the boldest forgers, who has operated in the city for a long time and who before leaving the city left a trail of worthless checks and "wrathy" victims, proved to be Charles Chestnut, who for the past nine months had been employed as a chauffeur and yard man by Mark W. Selby. Passing bad checks to the value of $165 Chestnut, boarded a street car Monday evening and went to Scioto ville, where he bought a ticket for Ironton and got on passenger train No. 32 due in Ironton at 8:30 o'clock. Chestnut's freedom was short lived as he was arrested on the train by Sheriff Sloan of Ironton who was on his way home from Mt. Clemens, where he arrested a man, who is charged with non support.

Sheriff Pete Smith left last night on the late N. & W. train for Ironton, where he got Chestnut and brought him back to Portsmouth. Chestnut now occupies a cell in the county jail. Practically all of the money he secured from his wholesale check passing was found on his person. Among the firms he succeeded in victiming are: The Fashion $26, Smoke House $10, Alva Chabot, Third street grocer, $25, Play House $20, The London Shop $25, Jns. Hager, Gallia street druggist, $20, Charles Weaver, grocer at Ninth and Washington streets, $20, Horchow Furniture company $25, and Dr. S. P. Fetter $20.

Chestnut is afflicted with tuberculosis and his only plea is that he was trying to raise money to get into a sanitarium.

Will Atlas Is Real Detective

Laboring under the impression that Chestnut, who reaped a rich harvest would attempt to make a get away on N. & W. train No. 32, Monday night, William Atlas had his clerk, Homer Milan, board the train and keep a close lookout for him. Milan was acquainted with Chestnut and for this reason Mr. Atlas suggested that he make the trip to Ironton, which proved the undoing of Chestnut. Milan saw Chestnut on the train, pointed him out to Sheriff Sloan, and he was nabbed with most of his booty, the arrest being made shortly after the train passed Franklin Furnace. Chestnut offered no resistance and agreed to accompany the official to Ironton.

Upon their arrival there Sheriff Sloan got in communication with Sheriff Pete Smith and the latter made arrangements to go after the alleged forger on the late N. & W. train.

From all indications Chestnut, who until a short time ago lived on Bond street, near Fourth, experienced very little difficulty in passing his checks, which were drawn on the Security bank and were purported to have been signed by Mark W. Selby with whom Chestnut had been employed until the middle of last week. When arrested Chestnut had $140 on his

Goes Gaily On His Crime Career

Claimed that he was afflicted with tuberculosis and that he was going to Springfield to enter a sanitarium, Chestnut told a straightforward story according to the firms he succeeded in victimizing. He had frequently cashed his pay checks signed by Mark W. Selby and this aided him in his swindling as his victims had no way of telling that the checks were bogus. He put up a pitiful tale at each place and was not turned down at any stop. At the Smoke House George McMahon gave Chestnut $10 of a check calling for $25. Chestnut was told to return Tuesday morning for the additional $15.

One of Chestnut's first stops was at Alva Chabot's grocery at Third and North Waller streets. He called there about 4:40 Monday afternoon and asked Mr. Chabot to cash a $25 check for him drawn on the Security bank and signed by Mark W. Selby. As Chestnut had been in his store several days ago and told Mr. Chabot about his physical condition and that Mr. Selby was going to help him enter a Springfield sanitarium, Mr. Chabot believed his story and cashed his check.

Then Over To The Doctor

Chestnut then left for Dr. S. P. Fetter's office. He learned that Dr. Fetter was making a call. He told Miss Ida Row, Dr. Fetter's housekeeper, that he wanted to pay his bill amounting to $2. He presented a check calling for $20. Miss Row gave Chestnut a ten dollar bill and two fives for the check and then Chestnut paid the $2 with one of the smaller bills.

Chestnut then stepped around to the Fashion store on Gallia street. It was about five o'clock when he entered this store and asked Mrs. Emma Ault to cash a check calling for $25. After she saw that the check was signed by Mark W. Selby she cashed the check for Chestnut, who left with his money.

All Looked Alike To Busy Chestnut

James Hager's drug store at Gallia and Sinton streets was one of the next stops made by Chestnut, who worked very rapidly and who told practically the same story at each place. Upon entering Mr. Hager's store he presented a check calling for $20 to Clerk Clay Lantz. "I'm all in and will have to leave town as my doctor says I got consumption," said Chestnut as he tendered Mr. Lantz the check, which was cashed.

Chestnut was getting along so famously and was acquiring so much wealth and apparently without an effort that he just kept on going from place to place.

Hustles Over To Horchow's

Reaching the store of the Horchow Furniture company he presented a check for $25 and it was cashed. The check was examined pretty closely and it looked alright.

Then it was that Chestnut decided that he ought to buy a pair of shoes so he went to the London Shop, purchased a pair for $3.50 and tendered Clerk Charley Bourgholtzer, check for $25. He was given $21.50 and the pair of shoes he purchased. When arrested Chestnut had the shoes under his arm. He admitted having purchased them in the London Shop and he begged and pleaded with Milan not to have him arrested. According to Milan's statement made Tuesday Chestnut wanted to give him a good sum not to notify Sheriff Sloan to arrest him.

Showing that he favored no one section of the city against another, Chestnut left his scene of operation in the business section and went out to Charley Weaver's grocery at Ninth and Washington streets. Chestnut had been having an account there and when he asked to pay his bill he was told he owed $9. He tendered a $20 check and was given $11 back.

Will Gableman Right On The Job

Things were moving along very serenely for Chestnut until he reached the Play House. There he asked Clerk Lew Distel to cash a $20 check similar to those passed at other places and Mr. Distel accommodated Chestnut. He had been away from the Play House but a few minutes until Manager William Gableman returned. Examining the check he became suspicious of it and at once got in communication with Mr. Selby, who informed him that he had not issued any checks whatever. Mr. Distel, getting a tip that Chestnut had gone to John street, where he lived he soon located him and when threatened with arrest Chestnut begged off and turned over the $20 Mr. Distel had given him.

Chestnut got down on his knees in the snow and "cried like a baby." Mr. Distel felt so good over securing his money that he told the police, who he met coming back from Chestnut's home to let him go.

When developments came later and a search was started for Chestnut he was found missing. One by one the firms, who had been victimized by Chestnut called up the police and enlisted their aid in getting their money back. It was about 5:40 p. m. when the police began to realize that they would have to locate a wholesale forger and five of them jumped into the city service wagon and went to the Play House. Getting a description of Chestnut they started on his trail.

The police learned that Chestnut's wife had left the city Sunday and that he was living on John street, but they could find no trace of him. As Chestnut afterward admitted he went to Scioto ville on a car and boarded N. & W. train No. 32 there last night at 7:50.

Chestnut is quite well known in the city, having lived here for over a year. Prior to coming to Portsmouth he resided in Piqua and before Mr. Selby employed him he called up several business friends in that town about Chestnut and they gave him a good recommendation. Chestnut has been in poor health for sometime and has been telling his friends that a local physician had told him of his condition and the advisability of going to a higher altitude.

As late as Monday Dr. W. W. Smith examined Chestnut and upon finding him quite ill with a pulmonary affection, certified him over to the city and the city authorities certified him over to John Addis, superintendent of the county infirmary.

Ferry Is Running

Henry Ruel's county ferry boat resumed its regular service at the mouth of the Scioto river Monday morning.

ODD FELLOWS INITIATE

At the meeting of Scioto Lodge No. 31 I. O. O. F. last evening, Charles Wellman and Cleveland Porter were given the Second Degree. A large number attended and were treated to some innovations in the conferring of the work.

To The Works

Police Clerk Dennis Coriell left early Monday morning for Cincinnati with John and Frank Tinsley, colored, who will serve a month in the work house there for stealing coal from the N. & W.

Won a Pig

Miss Norma M. Petry, of No. 1508 Third street, won the live pig at the Country Store show held in the Sun theater a few nights ago and has since been the victim of much good natured "joshing" by her friends.

SPECIAL SPECIALS

1 dozen Fresh Eggs	38c
1 lb. good Butter	20 to 35c
Good Bacon	14 and 15c
Good Flour	85 to 95c
3 qts. Colored Beans	25c
2 qts. Hominy	5c
1 can Corn and Tomatoes	15c
2 lbs. Crackers or Snaps	15c
1 2-lb can Asparagus	15c
1 lb. good Coffee	14 and 15c
Arbuckles Coffee	18c

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TWO COASTING ACCIDENTS MAR GREAT WINTER SPORT

Coasting claimed its first victims in Portsmouth, Monday evening, two local young men receiving serious injuries in collisions on Lincoln Hill, while several others sustained minor bruises. Louis B. Schoettle, son of Louis Schoettle, the Eleventh street grocer, had his leg broken right above the ankle, and Carl Monk, son of Riley Monk, of 321 Third street, had the ligaments in his right leg badly torn, in two separate accidents that occurred about 9:30 o'clock.

Young Schoettle was steering a bobsled loaded with seven passengers down the hill, which crashed into a large wagon sled containing twenty-five or thirty young men near the corner of Eleventh and Lincoln streets. The larger sled turned in front of the bobsled suddenly, giving the pilot no chance to avoid the collision, it is claimed. Schoettle was thrown beneath the two sleds, while the other six passengers were hurled some distance away.

None of them was badly injured, however, save Schoettle, who was pinned beneath the wreckage, unable to arise. His friends carried him to his home nearby, where medical attention was summoned. Drs. Jordan and Robe responded, and reduced the fracture, which will keep the young man laid up for several weeks. It is also feared that another bone in his leg is broken, and another examination will be held.

Just a few moments after the accident, Carl Monk and his companions were standing at the bottom of the hill getting ready to start back to the top when a large sled ran into them. Monk, who had been steering, received the full force of the collision, which threw him several feet and knocked him unconscious for a short time. He was carried to the Joseph and Kanouse grocery nearby, where an examination showed no bones were broken. He was removed to his home on Third street in a taxicab. Tuesday morning, it was stated that his injuries consisted of a severely wrenched leg, which will keep him laid up for several days.

Those who were on the sled with Schoettle at the time of the accident included his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Boluss, Howard Gehres, Stewart Ives, and Frank Page. All of them were badly shaken up and slightly bruised.

Lincoln Hill was crowded with in the neighborhood of one thousand merrymakers Monday evening, attracted by the rare sport. Some of the coasters glided from Twenty-second street to Tenth street, a distance of twelve squares, taking both hills on one trip. It was the most enjoyable coasting weather that Portsmouth has enjoyed in years, and every one who could secure a sled was out to take advantage of it.

Consulted Specialist

Dr. and Mrs. William Seitz, of 1808 Eleventh street, have returned from Cincinnati, where they have been consulting a specialist regarding Mrs. Seitz's condition. It developed that she was not suffering with a malignant disease as was feared.

OWLS PLAN FOR DANCE

Tickets for the Owls Fastnacht dance on February 16th were distributed among the members of the regular meeting of the lodge Monday evening, and they will be put on sale at once. The dance promises to be a huge success.

It has been decided to postpone the annual banquet until after the dance. Some officer from the Home Nest will be secured to deliver the principal address.

A movement was started at the meeting to unveil a suitable monument over the grave of every deceased member of the order, and the idea found ready favor among the members. An amendment to the constitution is necessary before it can be legally done, and this will be voted upon at an early date.

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SINGING INSTRUCTOR AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS AN EXPERT

Prof. Theo. E. Fitz, of New York City, who has been employed to give a course of singing to the choir members for five weeks, beginning February 15, will next week go to Dunkirk, New York, for two weeks and then return to Portsmouth for five weeks. He is a man of high faculties, with a wide and varied experience in teaching singing and other subjects allied with music education. One of Mr. Fitz's most successful pupils is Edmund Makalif, of the Century Opera Company, New York. He has studied with the leading singing teachers of New York City and is moreover, authority on many things concerning the training of the voice, and is recognized by the best and most conservative voice specialists of New York City.

On Saturday evening Prof. Fitz entertained the choir at the church, climaxing a splendid evening's enjoyment with refreshments. About fifty of the members were present and a delightful time was had by all. Songs were sung, reminiscences were told. Prof. Fitz made a splendid address along musical lines and was warmly felicitated at the close.

SUGGESTS NAMES

Ed. Times:—In naming those nine new streets in the cemetery, I have the following suggestion: Why not name two of them for two old citizens that have always had Portsmouth's welfare at heart, Dr. P. J. Kline and Mr. T. M. Patterson? Would not Laurel avenue be a good name for another? It is not everyone that can see the lovely native shrub growing as we find it on the beautiful Kentucky hills.

READER.

Hon. Thos. J. Cogan Will Be Speaker

Hon. Thomas J. Cogan, of Cincinnati, Past Grand Worthy President of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be the principal speaker at the "Get Together" banquet to be held by River City Aerie at its lodge hall, corner of Sixth and Chillicothe streets, February 4th. Mr. Cogan's fame as an able lawyer and eloquent orator is nation wide, and his presence will undoubtedly insure the attendance of every Eagle in Portsmouth, since he has ever been one of the staunchest advocates of the fraternity.

Each member on Tuesday received a personal invitation to attend the banquet from the chairman, Dr. Joseph Lake, together with a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the Grand Aerie, and a return card to donate whether or not he would be present at the big spread.

River City Aerie is entering upon the twelfth year of its prosperous existence, and the banquet is called to arouse renewed interest and enthusiasm among the membership for the coming year.

Mr. Cogan's coming to Portsmouth will be hailed with delight by his legion of admirers in this city. Besides holding the highest office in the gift of the Eagles in this country, he was prominently spoken of last year as a candidate for Grand Exalted Ruler of the B. P. O. E., of which order he is a Past Exalted Ruler, Cincinnati Lodge.

PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

A choir of sixty voices will render two hymn anthems and assist in the congregational singing at the First Christian church tonight.

Mr. J. N. Davis and T. E. Edwards will sing a duet entitled "God is Our Refuge" by Rutland.

Mrs. B. F. Kimble and Mr. Fitz will each sing a solo.

Mrs. Alan G. Simpson will be at the piano in the special numbers.

Sermon by Crayton S. Brooks on "Sour Grapes."

Dry Throats In W. Va. Flash S. O. S. Signal

Lew Ditty, a Gallia street cafe owner, received a distress call from a patron in West Virginia Monday. "That gallon gat here all right, but it's in the depot and they won't give it to me," said the voice at the other end of the line. "Sorry, pards, but I don't see what I can do for you," replied Ditty, who will not lose his money on the transaction as the express company had accepted the package from him just prior to the new order prohibiting the shipment of liquor into that state. Other local dealers who have had a big mail order business with points in West Virginia, also report similar experiences, the sudden enforcement of the law having taken many unawares.

THE PRICE SHE PAYS

There is hardly an American woman nowadays who can keep pace with the demands made upon her time and energy without paying the penalty of ill-health. It may be that dreadful backache, dragging pains, headaches, nervousness or the tortures of a displacement. It is the price she pays. To women in this condition Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound comes as a boon and a blessing. A simple remedy made from roots and herbs which brings glorious health to suffering women.

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Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.